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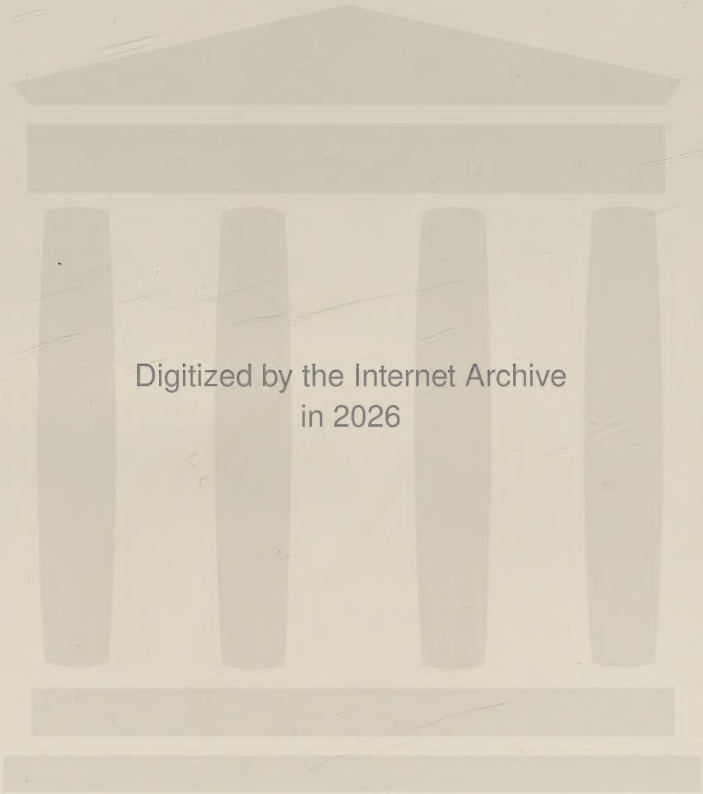
FINANCE COMMISSION
CITY OF BOSTON

THE

MUNICIPAL REGISTER

For 1898.

SEAL OF THE CITY.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THE

MUNICIPAL REGISTER

FOR 1898:

CONTAINING

A REGISTER OF THE CITY GOVERNMENT,

THE

RULES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN, COMMON COUNCIL AND CITY COUNCIL,

A LIST OF EXECUTIVE AND OTHER PUBLIC OFFICERS, AND VARIOUS STATISTICS RELATING TO THE CITY.

[City Document No. 39.]

BOSTON:
MUNICIPAL PRINTING OFFICE.
1898.

INTRODUCTION.

The City has annually since 1821 issued a volume containing, until 1829, a register of the City Council and a list of the officers. In 1829, the City Charter, in 1830, the acts relating to Boston and the ordinances, and in 1832, an index were added. The volume for 1822 contains fifteen pages, and for 1840 eighty-five pages, and three pages of index. The volume up to, and including, 1840 bears the title of The Rules and Orders of the Common Council, and since that year the title of THE MUNICIPAL REGISTER. THE MUNICIPAL REGISTER for 1841 contains the Rules and Orders of the Common Council, joint rules, ordinances of the City, statutes of the Commonwealth relating to the City, a list of the public schools, the city government of 1841, the committees and departments (consisting at that time of the treasury, law, police, health, public land and buildings, lamps and bridges, fire, and public charitable institutions), and a list of the ward officers; from 1842 to 1864, it also contains a list of the members of preceding city governments, a necrological record of these members, the latest ordinances and the special statutes relating to the City; in 1851 a list of the annual orators was added, and in 1853 a map of the City and the rules of the Board of Aldermen were inserted; in 1876 statistics of registration and voting were included, and since 1879 in tabulated form; in 1883 portraits of the Mayor and presiding officers of the two branches of the City Council were included, and in 1888 a list of the members of the past city governments of Roxbury and Charlestown was added, and continued to 1890. From 1889 to 1896, inclusive, THE MUNICIPAL REGISTER contained a compilation of the Charter and Acts subsequently passed, in the place of which an index of said Charter and Acts was substitued in 1897. The Boston charter and index are omitted this year, otherwise THE MUNICIPAL REGISTER of this year is in substantially the form of all other MUNICIPAL REGISTERS since 1889.

By the direction of the Mayor THE MUNICIPAL REGISTER of 1898 has been compiled by the Municipal Statistics Department. Text and tables have been revised, and many printer's and other errors have been corrected.

ORIGIN

OF

THE CITY OF BOSTON.

Boston was incorporated a Town by the order of the Court of Assistants passed September 17 (7, O. S.), 1630, "that Trimontaine shalbe called Boston;" and incorporated as The City of Boston, February 23, 1822, by St. 1821, c. 110, adopted March 4, 1822. This act was revised by St. 1854, c. 448, commonly called the City Charter, adopted November 13, 1854.

Brighton was incorporated a Town February 24, 1807, by St. 1806, c. 65, and annexed to Boston January 5, 1874, by St. 1873, c. 303, accepted October 7, 1873.

Charlestown was incorporated a Town July 4, 1629; a City February 22, 1847, by St. 1847, c. 29, accepted March 10, 1847; and annexed to Boston January 5, 1874, by St. 1873, c. 286, accepted October 7, 1873.

Dorchester was incorporated a Town by the same order of the Court of Assistants, by which Boston was incorporated; and annexed to Boston January 3, 1870, by St. 1869, c. 349, accepted June 22, 1869.

Roxbury was incorporated a Town by the order of the Court of Assistants, passed October 8, 1630; a City March 12, 1846, by St. 1846, c. 95, accepted March 25, 1846; and annexed to Boston January 6, 1868, by St. 1867, c. 359, accepted September 9, 1867.

West Roxbury was incorporated a Town May 24, 1851, by St. 1851, c. 250; and annexed to Boston January 5, 1874, by St. 1873, c. 314, accepted October 7, 1873.

THE CITY SEAL

As it appeared prior to 1827.

The city seal was adopted by "An Ordinance to Establish the City Seal," passed January 2, 1823, which provides "That the design hereto annexed, as sketched by John R. Penniman, giving a view of the city, be the device of the city seal; that the motto be as follows, to wit: 'Sicut patribus sit Deus nobis;' and that the inscription be as follows: — 'Bostonia condita, A.D. 1630. Civitatis regimine donata, A.D. 1822.'" The motto is taken from 1 King's, viii. 57.

The seal as it then appeared is shown above.

The seal as it was afterwards changed, and has ever since continued to be used, first appeared on page 221 of the volume of laws and ordinances, commonly known as the "First Revision," published in 1827, and is continued on the city seal at the present time by Revised Ordinances of 1898, Chapter 1, Section 5, which provides that "The seal of the city shall be circular in form; shall bear a view of the city; the motto 'Sicut Patribus Sit Deus Nobis,' and the inscription, 'Bostonia Condita, A.D. 1630. Civitatis Regimine Donata, A.D. 1822,' as herewith set forth."

The seal as changed in 1827, and as it has ever since appeared, is shown opposite the title page.

Leslie A. Lyon

FRANK J. O'TOOLE
MICHAEL H. CLEARY
EDWARD W. DIXON
WILLIAM H. LOTT
WILLIAM BERWIN
PERLIE A. DYAR
ALDERM
STENOGRAPHERS
CHARLES D. MURPHY
DEP. CITY MESSENGER

JOSEPH J. NORTON

JOSEPH A. CONRY

MILTON C. PAIGE

ENTRANCE

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FRANKLIN L. CODMAN SALEM D. CHARLES EDWARD W. PRESHO

VIN

EDWARD J. LEARY
CITY MESSENGER

REPORTERS.
Daily Papers.

Joseph A. Conroy.

GOVERNMENT

OF THE

CITY OF BOSTON.

1898.

JOSIAH QUINCY, *Mayor.*

Residence, 82 Charles street.

Salary, $10,000.

[Stat. 1885, Chap. 266. Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 1. Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 2.]

BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Salary, $1,500, each.

[Stat. 1893, Chap. 473.]

CHAIRMEN.

PERLIE A. DYAR, from January 25 to April 1, and from October 1 to end of year.

JOSEPH A. CONRY, from April 1 to October 1.

EDWARD W. PRESHO . . .	54 Chestnut street.
PERLIE A. DYAR	2 St. Botolph street.
WILLIAM BERWIN	27 School street, room 35.
FRANKLIN L. CODMAN . . .	337 Neponset avenue.
WILLIAM H. LOTT	13 Robin Hood street.
MILTON C. PAIGE	127 K street.
SALEM D. CHARLES	286 Chestnut avenue.
MICHAEL H. CLEARY . . .	47 Conant street.
JOSEPH A. CONRY	157 Webster street.
EDWARD W. DIXON . . .	201 Salem street.

JOSEPH J. NORTON . . . . 524 East Fifth street.
FRANK J. O'TOOLE . . . . . 13 Westminster street.

Clerk, ex officio.

J. MITCHEL GALVIN, 575 Washington street, Dorchester.

Salary, $5,000.

[St. 1854, 448, § 30; St. 1885, 266, § 2; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 11.]

Regular meetings, Mondays, at 3 o'clock, P.M.

COMMON COUNCIL.

TIMOTHY L. CONNOLLY, *President.*

Ward 1. — CHARLES I. ALBEE, 109 Trenton street.
A. DUDLEY BAGLEY, 601 Bennington street.
COLLINGWOOD C. MILLAR, 151 Trenton street.

Ward 2. — WILLIAM J. CRONIN, 64 Paris street.
JAMES H. DONOVAN, 110 Porter street.
JOSEPH F. HICKEY, 289 Sumner street.

Ward 3. — WILLIAM F. HARRINGTON, 24 Marion street.
CHARLES A. HORRIGAN, 34 Bunker Hill street.
JOHN I. TOLAND, 145 Chelsea street.

Ward 4. — JOHN F. DESMOND, 18 Arlington avenue.
JOHN P. SULLIVAN, 10 Sewall's court.
JOSEPH A. TURNBULL, 14 Dorrance street.

Ward 5. — WILLIAM E. BENNETT, 14 Putnam street.
DENNIS J. FALVEY, 14 Chapman street.
EDWARD H. MADDEN, 18 Chelsea street.

Ward 6. — SAMUEL H. BOROFSKY, 115 Salem street.
MICHAEL J. DONOVAN, 12 Unity street.
MICHAEL J. MCCOLGAN, 164 Endicott street.

Ward 7. — MICHAEL T. CALLAHAN, 39 Ash street.
DANIEL J. DONNELLY, 14 Hudson street.
JOHN L. DONOVAN, 51 Albany street.

Ward 8. — William H. Cuddy, 9 Cypress street.
Michael F. Hart, 23 Eaton street.
Louis Sonnabend, 42 Lynde street.

Ward 9. — Frank H. Cowin, 1323 Washington street.
Samuel Kasanof, 319 Harrison avenue.
Michael Leonard, 98 East Canton street.

Ward 10. — Charles A. Atkins, 13 Belvidere street.
Walter E. Nichols, 87 Dartmouth street.
David R. Robinson, 15 Harwich street.

Ward 11. — Edward A. Armistead, 36 Grove street.
William S. B. Stevens, 20 Mt. Vernon street.
George Holden Tinkham, 326 Commonwealth avenue.

Ward 12. — David B. Chamberlain, 14 Pembroke street.
Edward P. Sands, 91 Worcester street.
Arthur G. Wood, 39 Rutland square.

Ward 13. — Thomas J. Collins, 166 West Third street.
Michael J. Lydon, 80 A street.
Michael W. Norris, 123 West Fourth street.

Ward 14. — John H. Dunn, 879 East Broadway.
William P. Hickey, 485 East First street.
James F. Mulcahy, 79 K street.

Ward 15. — John D. Fenton, 26 Woodward street.
William Martin, 51 Thomas park.
Daniel V. McIsaac, 6 Leeds street.

Ward 16. — Charles E. Eddy, 748 Dudley street.
Frederick W. Farwell, 44 Harvest street.
Arthur P. Russell, 42 Magnolia street.

Ward 17. — Patrick H. Brennan, 1 Bartlett court.
Timothy L. Connolly, 51 Mt. Pleasant avenue.
John P. Lanergan, 38 Burrell street.

Ward 18. — James J. Casey, 704 Shawmut avenue.
John J. Curley, 4 Sumner place.
James A. Watson, 221 Cabot street.

Ward 19. — Michael T. Athridge, 17 Oregon street.
John J. Flanagan, 1629 Tremont street.
Charles P. Nangle, 80 Conant street.

Ward 20. — Wilbur F. Adams, 15 Vinson street.
Edwin D. Bell, 24 Warren street.
Louis T. Howard, 31 Spring Garden street.

Ward 21. — Samuel C. Jones, 4 Hawthorn street.
Frederick W. Klemm, 40 Norfolk street.
Alfred Newmarch, 33 Circuit street.

Ward 22. — Charles F. Adams, 21 Myrtle street.
Paul F. Folsom, Lakeville place.
Abram Jordan, 154 Boylston street.

Ward 23. — Andrew Brauer, Dudley avenue.
Charles W. Dennis, 50 Hastings street.
Konrad Young, 466 Beech street.

Ward 24. — William E. Harvey, Chapman avenue.
Willard W. Hibbard, 82 Morton street.
Harry B. Whall, 300 Ashmont street.

Ward 25. — Austin Bigelow, 3 Foster street.
Clarence W. Sanderson, 33 Chestnut Hill avenue.
William D. Wheeler, 298 North Harvard street.

Clerk.

Joseph O'Kane, Blakeville street, Dorchester.

Salary, $3,000.

Regular meetings, Thursday, at 7.45 P.M.

MEMBERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

(Alphabetically arranged.)

ALDERMEN.

Berwin, William.
Charles, Salem D.
Cleary, Michael H.
Codman, Franklin L.
Conry, Joseph A.
Dixon, Edward W.
Dyar, Perlie A.
Lott, William H.
Norton, Joseph J.
O'Toole, Frank J.
Paige, Milton C.
Presho, Edward W.

COUNCILMEN.

	Ward		Ward
Adams, Charles F.	22	Desmond, John F.	4
Adams, Wilbur F.	20	Donnelly, Daniel J.	7
Albee, Charles I.	1	Donovan, James H	2
Armistead, Edward A.	11	Donovan, John L.	7
Athridge, Michael T.	19	Donovan, Michael J.	6
Atkins, Charles A.	10	Dunn, John H.	14
Bagley, A. Dudley	1	Eddy, Charles E.	16
Bell, Edwin D.	20	Falvey, Dennis J.	5
Bennett, William E.	5	Farwell, Frederick W.	16
Bigelow, Austin	25	Fenton, John D.	15
Borofsky, Samuel H.	6	Flanagan, John J.	19
Brauer, Andrew	23	Folsom, Paul F.	22
Brennan, Patrick H.	17	Harrington, William F.	3
Callahan, Michael T.	7	Hart, Michael F.	8
Casey, James J.	18	Harvey, William E.	24
Chamberlain, David B.	12	Hibbard, Willard W.	24
Collins, Thomas J.	13	Hickey, Joseph F.	2
Connolly, Timothy L.	17	Hickey, William P.	14
Cowin, Frank H.	9	Horrigan, Charles A.	3
Cronin, William J.	2	Howard, Louis T.	20
Cuddy, William H.	8	Jones, Samuel C.	21
Curley, John J.	18	Jordan, Abram	22
Dennis, Charles W.	23	Kasanof, Samuel	9

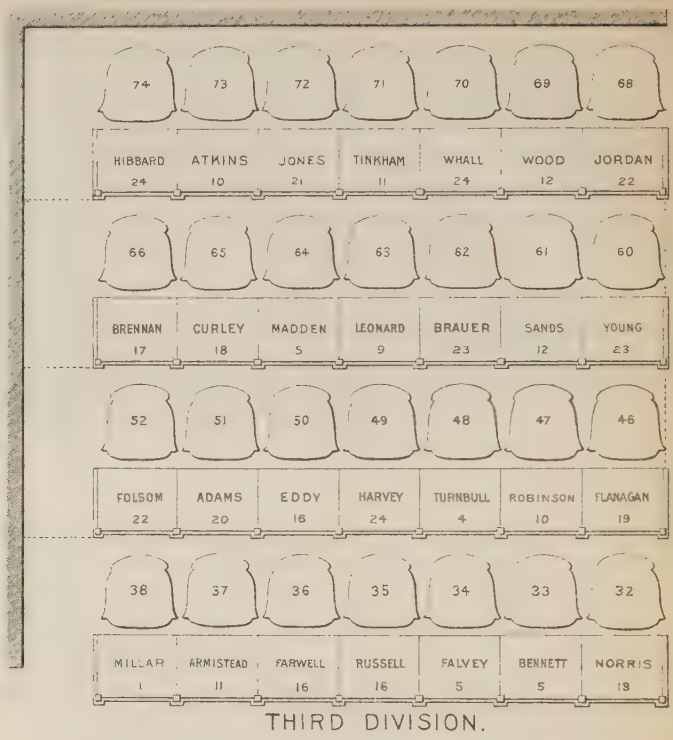
	Ward		Ward
Klemm, Frederick W.	21	Russell, Arthur P.	16
Lanergan, John P.	17	Sanderson, Clarence W.	25
Leonard, Michael	9	Sands, Edward P.	12
Lydon, Michael J.	13	Sonnabend, Louis	8
Madden, Edward H.	5	Stevens, William S. B.	11
Martin, William	15	Sullivan, John P.	4
McColgan, Michael J.	6	Tinkham, George H.	11
McIsaac, Daniel V.	15	Toland, John I.	3
Millar, Collingwood C.	1	Turnbull, Joseph A.	4
Mulcahy, James F.	14	Watson, James A.	18
Nangle, Charles P.	19	Whall, Harry B.	24
Newmarch, Alfred	21	Wheeler, William D.	25
Nichols, Walter E.	10	Wood, Arthur G.	12
Norris, Michael W.	13	Young, Konrad	23
Robinson, David R.	10		

DAYS OF MEETING.

BOARD OF ALDERMEN, Mondays, at 3 P.M.

COMMON COUNCIL, Thursdays, at 7.45 P.M.

Stenographer to the City Council. — E. W. HARNDEN, 26 East Springfield street.



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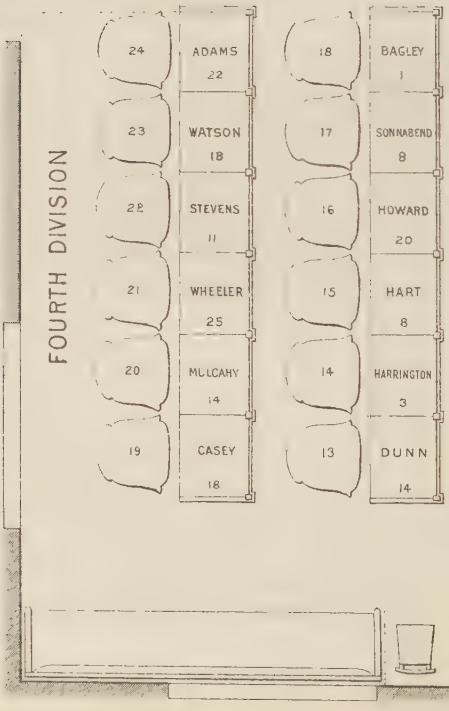
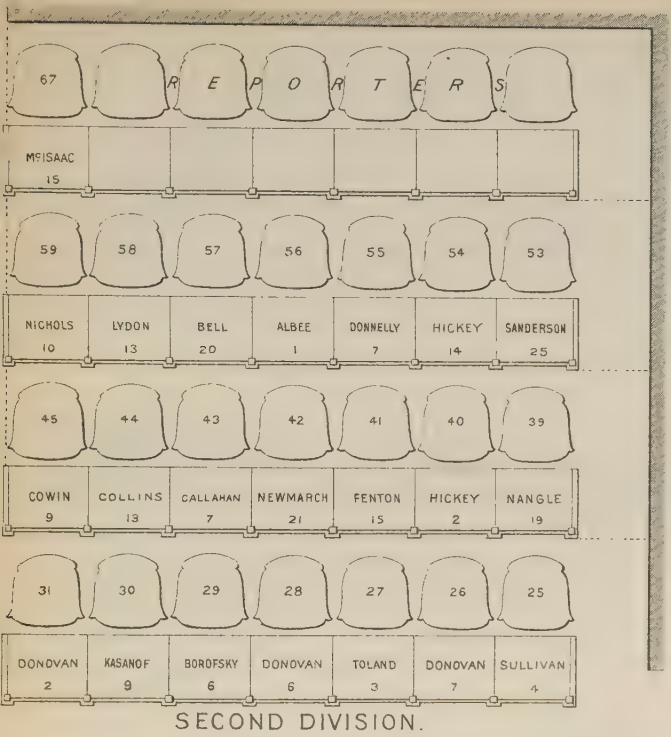


T. MOONEY
ASS'T MESSENGER

J. A. Mc
ASSISTANT REPORTER

C. E. SILLOWAY
ASS'T MESSENGER



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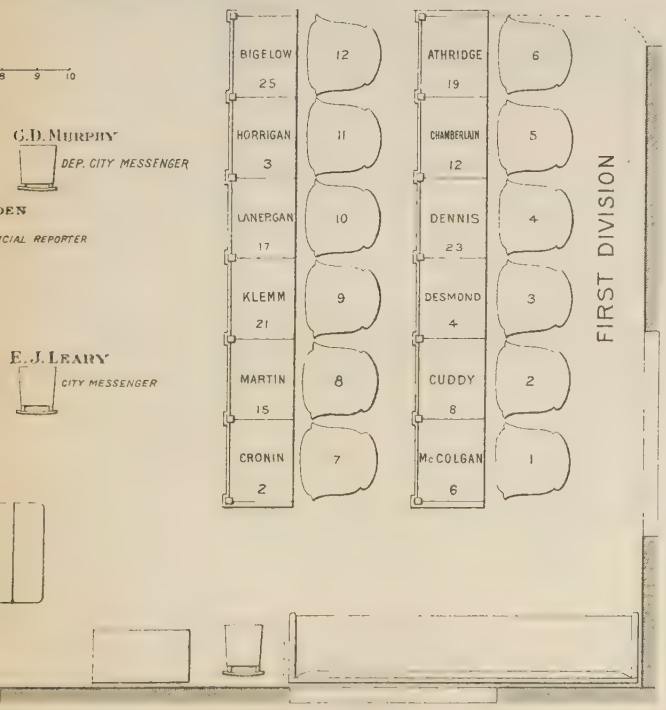
ENTRANCE

CHAMBER.



RULES AND ORDERS.

RULES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

CHAIRMAN.

RULE 1. The chairman of the board shall take the chair at the hour to which the board shall have adjourned, and shall call the members to order, and, a quorum being present, shall cause the minutes of the preceding regular meeting to be read; and, in the absence of the chairman, the senior member present shall preside as chairman *pro tempore*.

RULE 2. The chairman shall preserve decorum and order, may speak to points of order in preference to other members, and shall decide all questions of order, subject to an appeal to the board; and no other business shall be in order until the question on appeal shall have been decided.

RULE 3. The chairman shall propound all motions in the order in which they are moved, unless the subsequent motion shall be previous in its nature, except that in naming sums and fixing times the largest sum and longest time shall be put first.

RULE 4. The chairman shall, at the request of any member, make a division of a question when the sense will admit.

RULE 5. The chairman shall, without debate, decide all questions relating to priority of business to be acted upon.

RULE 6. The chairman may read sitting, but shall rise to state a motion or put a question to the board.

RULE 7. The chairman shall declare all votes; but if any member doubts a vote, the chairman shall cause a rising vote to be taken; and when any member so requests, shall cause the vote to be taken or verified by yeas and nays.

RULE 8. The chairman shall appoint all committees, fill all vacancies therein, and designate the rank of the members thereof.

RULE 9. When the chairman of the board, or the chairman *pro tempore*, shall desire to vacate the chair, he may call any member to it; but such substitution shall not continue beyond an adjournment.

MOTIONS.

RULE 10. Every motion shall be reduced to writing if the chairman shall so direct.

RULE 11. A motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible; but a motion to strike out being lost shall not preclude amendment or a motion to strike out and insert.

RULE 12. No motion or proposition of a subject different from that under consideration shall be admitted under color of amendment.

RULE 13. When an order or resolution relates to a subject which may properly be examined and reported upon by an existing committee of the city council, such order or resolution shall, upon presentation, be referred to such committee. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different committees are proposed, the motion shall be put in the following order:

1. To a standing committee of the board.
2. To a special committee of the board.
3. To a joint standing committee.
4. To a joint special committee.

RULE 14. After a motion has been put by the chairman, it shall not be withdrawn except by unanimous consent.

RULE 15. When a question is under debate the following motions only shall be entertained, and in the order in which they stand arranged:

1. To adjourn.
2. To lay on the table.
3. To postpone to a day certain.
4. To commit.
5. To amend.
6. To postpone indefinitely.

RULE 16. A motion to adjourn shall be in order at any time, except on an immediate repetition, or pending a verification of a vote; and that motion, the motion to lay on the table, and the motion to take from the table, shall be decided without debate.

READINGS.

RULE 17. Every ordinance, order, and resolution reported by a committee shall, unless rejected, have two several readings, both of which may take place at the same session, unless objection is made. Whenever the second reading immediately follows the first reading, the document may be read by its title only. Orders from the board of street commissioners changing the names of streets, and orders granting locations for poles or posts, shall, however, have one reading only at the same session.

CONFIRMATIONS.

RULE 18. The question confirming a nomination made by the mayor shall be decided by a yea and nay ballot.

RECONSIDERATION.

RULE 19. When a vote has been passed, any member may move a reconsideration thereof at the same meeting; or he may give notice to

the clerk, within twenty-four hours of the adjournment, of his intention to move a reconsideration at the next regular meeting; in which case the clerk shall retain possession of the papers until the next regular meeting; and when a motion for reconsideration is decided, that vote shall not be reconsidered.

CONDUCT OF MEMBERS.

RULE 20. Every member when about to speak shall rise, address the chair, and wait until he is recognized, and in speaking shall confine himself to the question and avoid personalities.

RULE 21. No member speaking shall, without his consent, be interrupted by another, except upon a point of order.

RULE 22. No member shall be permitted to vote on any question, or serve on any committee, where his private right is immediately concerned, distinct from the public interest.

RULE 23. Every member who shall be present when a question is put, where he is not excluded by interest, shall give his vote, unless the board for special reasons shall excuse him. Application to be so excused on any question must be made before the board is divided, or before the calling of the yeas and nays; and such application shall be accompanied by a brief statement of the reasons, and shall be decided without debate.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

RULE 24. The following standing committees of the board, to consist of three members each, except where otherwise herein provided, and the members of the joint standing committees on the part of this board, named in the joint rules and orders of the city council, and all other committees, unless otherwise provided for, or specially directed by the board, shall be appointed by the chair:

Committees on Armories and Military Affairs — County Accounts — Electric Wires — Faneuil Hall and County Buildings — Lamps — Licenses — Markets — Railroads. Public Improvements to consist of all the members of the board, and to be divided by the chairman of the committee into the following sub-committees: namely, on Paving Division, Sewer Division, Bridge Division, Sanitary Division, Street-Cleaning Division, Ferry Division.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

RULE 25. At every regular meeting of the board the order of business shall be as follows:

1. Communications from his honor the mayor.
2. Hearings.
3. Presentation of petitions, memorials and remonstrances.
4. Papers from the common council.

5. Unfinished business of preceding meetings.
6. Orders of notice of hearings.
7. Reports of city officers.
8. Reports of committees.
9. Motions, orders and resolutions.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

RULE 26. Committees of the board, to whom any matter is especially referred, shall report within four weeks, or ask for further time.

EXPENSES OF COMMITTEES.

RULE 27. No money shall be drawn from the city treasury for the purpose of paying the expenses of any committee, or any portion of the same, while absent from the City of Boston, unless authorized by special vote of the board.

SPECTATORS.

RULE 28. No person, except a member of the board, shall be permitted to occupy the seat of any member while the board is in session.

RULE 29. No persons, excepting members of the city council, heads of departments and reporters, shall be allowed in the anteroom of the aldermanic chamber while the board is in session. No person shall be allowed to enter the aldermanic chamber while the board is in session, after the seats furnished for spectators are occupied. The city messenger shall enforce this rule.

LICENSES.

RULE 30. No licenses shall be granted for exhibitions of wrestling.

RULE 31. No permission to erect a pole or post for the support of electric wires or for the construction of underground conduits shall be granted until a public hearing shall have been given by the board of aldermen on the application for such permission, after notice of such hearing duly advertised by the applicant in one or more newspapers.

RULE 32. Every license or permit hereafter granted for the location of a street-railway track, the erection of a pole or post, the construction of an underground conduit, laying of a pipe or wire, or for doing any other work which may involve the disturbance of a surface of a street, shall specify the time within which the contemplated work shall be done, and shall not confer authority to do any such work after the expiration of such specified time.

SUSPENSION OF RULES.

RULE 33. Any rule may be suspended by vote of two-thirds of the members of the board present and voting, except Rule 30, which shall be suspended only by a unanimous vote upon a roll-call.

RULES AND ORDERS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

RULE 1. Unless otherwise ordered from time to time the regular meeting of the common council shall be held on every Thursday, at seven forty-five o'clock P.M., and, on the appearance of a quorum, the council shall be called to order. In the absence of the president the oldest senior member present shall take the chair, and a president *pro tempore* shall be chosen by ballot; and, if an election is not effected on the first trial, on subsequent trials a plurality vote shall elect.

The roll shall be called at each meeting of the council, the time of said roll-call to be at the discretion of the president, but not later than nine o'clock.

PRESIDENT.

RULE 2. The president shall appoint and announce all committees, unless otherwise ordered, and shall communicate his appointments to the council at the meeting following such action, if not made during a session. All vacancies upon committees shall be filled in the manner of original appointment; and members so appointed shall take rank according to the date of their appointment, unless otherwise designated by the president.

RULE 3. The president may at any time call another member to the chair; but such substitution shall not continue beyond an adjournment. In all cases the president may vote.

RULE 4. The president may make any rules that he deems proper to preserve order in the council chamber during sessions of the council, and he shall forbid smoking in the council chamber during a session.

CLERK.

RULE 5. The clerk shall keep a record of the acts, votes and proceedings of the common council, and a separate record of all decisions of the chair upon questions of order. He shall have the care and custody of all papers belonging to this branch of the city council; and shall prepare a schedule of business in order for each meeting, in such manner as the president may direct.

He shall draw up and send all messages to the board of aldermen; and shall retain in his possession all papers until the right to file a notice of reconsideration has expired, and if such notice is made he shall keep the papers pertaining thereto until the right of reconsideration has expired.

CONDUCT OF MEMBERS.

RULE 6. Except when otherwise provided, no member shall speak for more than fifteen minutes, and a further equal time if the council so vote. No member shall speak a second time on a question, if another member, who has not spoken, claims the floor.

RULE 7. No member speaking shall be interrupted by another, except upon a point of order.

Every member, while speaking, shall confine himself to the question under debate, and shall refrain from personalities, and shall not refer to any other member of the council except by a respectful designation; and no member shall speak or vote out of his place, without leave of the president.

QUORUM.

RULE 8. Whenever a member raises a doubt of a quorum being present, the chair shall ascertain and declare whether a quorum is present or not. For this purpose he may at his discretion, or on motion sustained by one-fifth of the members present, order the roll to be called. If there is no quorum present, he shall declare the council adjourned.

COMMITTEES.

RULE 9. All matters relating to the election of members shall be referred to the standing committee on elections, which shall consist of five members.

RULE 10. There shall be a standing committee on judiciary, consisting of five members, who shall have the power to obtain the opinion of the corporation counsel on all matters that shall be referred to them.

RULE 11. All committees of this council shall be notified of their meetings by the clerk of committees. They shall not sit during sessions of the council without special leave, nor be called on less notice than twenty-four hours from the time the notices are mailed by the clerk or despatched by special messenger, unless all the members consent; and the clerk shall keep a record of their doings. The member first named shall be chairman, unless otherwise ordered by the committee, in which case the council shall be notified of the change; and the same rule shall apply to the members serving on joint committees.

The absence of a member from three successive, duly called meetings of any committee, except on account of sickness or absence from the city, proved to the satisfaction of the president, shall be deemed a resignation on the part of such member from such committee, and the vacancy caused by the resignation shall be filled by the president at the next meeting of the council.

The clerk of committees shall report at each meeting of the council all resignations effected by the preceding clause.

RULE 12. Special committees of the council shall consist of three members, unless otherwise ordered.

RULE 13. No report of any committee shall be received unless agreed to by such committee at a duly notified meeting thereof. Such report, when presented, may be ordered to be printed, and shall then take its place among the unfinished business for consideration at the next meeting.

COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE.

RULE 14. When the council shall determine to go into a committee of the whole, the president shall appoint the member who shall take the chair.

RULE 15. The rules of proceedings in the council shall be observed in the committee of the whole, so far as they are applicable; but the previous question shall not be moved, and a motion to rise, report progress, and ask leave to sit again shall be first in order, and shall be decided without debate.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

RULE 16. At every meeting of the council the order of business shall be as follows:

First. Reading of the records of the preceding meeting, if called for by a majority of the members present.

Second. Messages from his honor the mayor, reports of city officers, and other communications addressed to the council.

Third. Papers from the board of aldermen.

Fourth. Reports of committee on finance.

Fifth. Reports of committees, which shall be called for by divisions in numerical order.

Sixth. Motions, orders, and resolutions. Orders and resolutions shall be read once, and upon motion, referred to their appropriate committees or assigned to the next meeting. If no objection is made, or the rules are suspended, orders and resolutions may at the time they are offered be given a second reading and passed.

Seventh. Unfinished business of preceding meetings.

Eighth. Notices of motions for reconsideration. (See Rule 35.)

Ninth. Motions, orders, and resolutions, which shall take the same course as provided in the sixth section of this rule.

Provided, however, that not more than thirty minutes shall be allowed for the presentation of papers under the sixth order of business. Papers shall be called for by divisions in numerical order, and only one member in a division shall be recognized until each division has been called.

RULE 17. All papers addressed to the council shall be presented by the president, or by a member; and, unless the council shall otherwise determine, they shall be read by the president, or such other person as he may request, and be taken up in the order in which they are presented.

RULE 18. All ordinances, orders and resolutions shall, unless rejected, have two several readings, after each of which debate shall be in order, and they shall then be put on their passage. Whenever the second reading immediately follows the first the document may be read by its title only.

RULE 19. No ordinance and no order or resolution imposing penalties, or authorizing a loan or the expenditure of money, shall have more

than one reading on the same day; but this rule shall not apply to an order to print a document.

MOTIONS.

RULE 20. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the president shall so direct, and no other motion shall be entertained until a reasonable time be afforded for compliance with such direction.

RULE 21. In naming sums and fixing times, the largest sum and longest time shall first be put to the question.

RULE 22. When a question is under debate, the president shall receive any of the following motions, but no others:

1. To adjourn.
2. To lay on the table.
3. The previous question.
4. To close debate at a specified time.
5. To assign to a time certain.
6. To amend.
7. To refer to a committee.
8. To refer to another board.
9. To postpone indefinitely.

These several motions shall not be applied to each other, except that the motion to assign, amend, refer, or to close debate at a specified time, may be amended.

When one of these motions has been made, none of the others, inferior to it in precedence, shall be made, and, in proceeding to vote, motions pending shall be put in the order of their rank, as above arranged. No motion or proposition of a subject, different from that under consideration, shall be admitted under color of amendment.

RULE 23. When a matter has been assigned to be taken up at a fixed hour, or at a certain stage of proceedings, such matter shall, at the time appointed, or at any time subsequent thereto, during the same or succeeding meetings, be in order upon the call of any member, and take precedence of all other business.

RULE 24. When an order or resolution relates to a subject which may properly be examined and reported upon by an existing committee of the city council, such order or resolution shall, upon presentation, be referred to such committee. When a motion is made to refer any subject, and different committees are proposed, the motion shall be put in the following order:

A standing committee of the council.
A special committee of the council.
A joint standing committee.
A joint special committee.

RULE 25. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, provided business of a nature to be recorded on the journal has been transacted since a motion to adjourn was rejected; and such motion shall be decided without debate.

RULE 26. Debate on a call for the previous question, or on a motion to close debate at a specified time, or on a motion to lay on the table, or take from the table, shall not exceed ten minutes, and no member shall speak more than three minutes. In such debate, however, the merits of the main question shall not be discussed.

RULE 27. Any member may require the division of a question when the sense will admit of it; and any member may move at any time for the suspension of any rule or rules.

PREVIOUS QUESTION.

RULE 28. The previous question shall be put in the following form: "*Shall the main question be now put?*" and all debate upon the main question shall be suspended until the previous question has been decided.

RULE 29. When the previous question is ordered the vote shall be taken upon all pending amendments, and finally upon the main question.

RULE 30. All incidental questions of order, arising after a motion is made for the previous question, shall be decided without debate, except on an appeal; and on such an appeal no member shall be allowed to speak more than once, without leave of the council.

APPEAL.

RULE 31. No appeal from the decision of the president shall be entertained unless it is seconded; and no motion but to adjourn shall be in order till the question on the appeal has been decided. The question shall be put as follows: "*Shall the decision of the chair stand as the judgment of the council?*" And it shall be deemed to be decided in the affirmative, unless a majority of the votes given are to the contrary.

VOTING.

RULE 32. If the president is unable to decide, or if any member doubts a vote, the president shall cause a rising vote to be taken on the question, without further debate. The president shall appoint two tellers for each division of the council, as fixed by him, who shall agree on a count, and report the result aloud to him.

RULE 33. A motion that any pending vote shall be taken by yeas and nays shall be in order at any time, and no debate shall be allowed thereon, but it shall be passed by the assent of one-fifth of the members present. Every member present shall answer to his name unless excused before the vote is taken.

RULE 34. After the announcement of a vote not taken by yeas and nays, any member may vote for a verification thereof by yeas and nays, and on such motion a debate of the original question, not exceeding five minutes, shall be permitted; and the yeas and nays shall be taken, provided one-fifth of the members voting shall so require.

RECONSIDERATION.

RULE 35. When a vote has been passed, any member may move a reconsideration thereof at the same meeting, either immediately after the announcement of such vote, or whenever motions are in order; or if any member who is not shown by a yea and nay vote to have voted against the prevailing side, shall give notice to the clerk, before 10 o'clock A.M., of the next day but one following that on which a meeting was held (except the final meeting of the year, or that preceding any adjournment for over two weeks), of his intention so to do, he may move a reconsideration at the next meeting at which said motion is reached in the order of proceedings.

RULE 36. Debate on motions to reconsider shall be limited to thirty minutes, and no member shall speak more than five minutes. Whenever a matter has been especially assigned, a notice, as above specified, to reconsider any vote affecting it shall be considered whenever such special assignment takes effect.

RULE 37. When a motion for reconsideration has been decided, that decision shall not be reconsidered, and no question shall be twice reconsidered unless it has been amended after the reconsideration; nor shall any reconsideration be had upon either of the following motions:

To adjourn.
The previous question.
To lay on the table.
To take from the table.
To close debate at a specified time.

RESCINDING VOTES.

RULE 38. After a vote has been refused a reconsideration, it shall not be rescinded unless two-thirds of the whole number of the members of the common council vote in the affirmative.

ELECTIONS.

RULE 39. All officers receiving any compensation from the city of Boston, who are elected by the city council, shall, unless otherwise ordered, be chosen in this branch by ballot. In all elections by ballot the number of blanks cast shall be reported. Ballots cast for ineligible persons shall be counted and reported, but only for the purpose of ascertaining the whole number of ballots cast. If the person chosen is ineligible the ballot shall be void, and a new ballot be taken.

SEATS OF MEMBERS.

RULE 40. No person, except a member of the council, shall be permitted to occupy the seat of any member while the council is in session. The seats of the members of the council shall be numbered, and shall be determined, in the presence of the council, by drawing the names of

members and the number of the seats simultaneously; and each member shall be entitled for the year to the seat bearing the number so drawn against his name, and shall not change it, except by the permission of the president.

SPECTATORS.

RULE 41. The city messenger shall allow no person upon the floor of the council chamber or in either of the ante-rooms, except members of the city government, heads of departments, and reporters, without the permission of the president; and while the council is in session, no person except members of the city government, heads of departments, and reporters shall be allowed in either of the ante-rooms on the easterly side. The president shall order such accommodations on the floor for reporters and spectators as he shall deem proper; *provided, however*, that no spectators shall be seated behind the members of the council.

RULE 42. The council chamber shall be used for meetings of the council only, unless by special vote of the common council; *provided*, that during the summer recess the president may allow the chamber to be used for public purposes, in all cases reporting his action to the council at its next meeting. The ante-room and large committee room on the east shall be subject to the same rules; except that the president may allow committee meetings to be held therein at times when the council is not in session. The clerk's room shall be assigned to the clerk of the common council for occupancy and use. The ante-room between the council chamber and the clerk's room shall be used during the meetings of the council to give access to the seats on the floor, and for such other purposes as the president may direct; *provided*, that smoking there shall not be allowed on the part of visitors. The general care and supervision of these rooms are hereby intrusted to the city messenger, subject to the direction of the president; but no expenditure of money shall be made except by direct vote of the common council.

PARLIAMENTARY PRACTICE.

RULE 43. The rules of parliamentary practice as contained in Cushing's "Law and Practice of Legislative Assemblies" shall govern this council in all cases to which they are applicable and in which they are not inconsistent with these rules or the joint rules of the city council.

REPEAL.

RULE 44. The foregoing rules shall not be altered, amended, suspended or repealed, at any time, except by the votes of two-thirds of the members of the common council present and voting thereon.

JOINT RULES AND ORDERS OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

RULE 1. There shall be appointed at the commencement of the municipal year the following joint standing committees, the members of which shall be appointed by the respective branches in such manner as they may determine. Said committees shall respectively examine, as often as they deem necessary, the accounts of public moneys received and expended by the several departments. To the said committees severally shall be referred all estimates and applications for appropriations of and orders for expenditures by the respective departments. Each of said committees to consist of three aldermen and five councilmen, namely:

1. A committee on the *Assessing Department.*
2. A committee on the *Auditing Department.*
3. A committee on the *Baths Department.*
4. A committee on the *Building Department.*
5. A committee on the *Cemetery Department.*
6. A committee on the *City Clerk Department.*
7. A committee on the *City Messenger Department.*
8. A committee on the *Clerk of Committees Department.*
9. A committee on the *Collecting Department.*
10. A committee on the *Election Department.*
11. A committee on the *Engineering Department.*
12. A committee on the *Fire Department.*
13. A committee on the *Health Department.*
14. A committee on the *Hospital Department.*
15. A committee on the *Inspection of Vessels and Ballast Department.*
16. A committee on the *Institutions Departments.*
17. A committee on the *Lamp Department.*
18. A committee on the *Law Department.*
19. A committee on the *Library Department.*
20. A committee on the *Market Department.*
21. A committee on the *Overseeing of the Poor Department.*
22. A committee on the *Park Department.*
23. A committee on the *Public Buildings Department.*
24. A committee on the *Public Grounds Department.*
25. A committee on the *Registry Department.*
26. A committee on the *Sealing of Weights and Measures Department.*
27. A committee on the *Street Department.*
28. A committee on the *Street Laying-out Department.*
29. A committee on the *Treasury Department.*
30. A committee on the *Water Department.*
31. A committee on the *Wire Department.*

There shall also be appointed annually, in like manner, the following joint standing committees to perform the duties assigned them:

1. A committee on *Appropriations*, to consist of the members of the board of aldermen, and the president and eleven other members of the common council, to whom shall be referred the estimates of the departments prepared annually, and any suggestions thereon from his honor the mayor. They shall report an order appropriating such sums as they deem necessary for the lawful public uses, and setting forth in detail, as far as convenient, the purposes.

2. A committee on *Claims*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, to whom shall be referred all claims against the city arising from the act or neglect of any of its departments. They shall report monthly the number and nature of the claims awarded or approved by them, and the amount of money awarded or paid in settlement thereof.

3. A committee on the *Contingent Expenses of the City Council*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, to whom shall be referred all matters involving expenditures from any appropriation for such purposes. They shall examine all bills and vouchers for expenditures chargeable to such appropriation, and, if the same are correctly certified to, shall authenticate them, if correct, by the signature of their chairman, and send the same to the city auditor on or before the twenty-fifth day of each month, to be paid as the bills of the several departments are paid.

4. A committee on *Finance*, to consist of eight members of the board of aldermen, and the president and ten other members of the common council, to whom shall be referred all applications for expenditures which involve a loan, or a transfer of any part of an appropriation named in the general appropriation order, or from the reserve fund, as provided in rule 17.

5. A committee on *Legislative Matters*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, who shall, unless otherwise ordered, appear before committees of the general court and represent the interests of the city; *provided* said committee shall not, unless directed so to do by the city council, oppose any legislation petitioned for by the preceding city council. It shall report in print to the city council all bills, resolves, and petitions presented to the legislature affecting the city of Boston or any department thereof. Such printed report shall be made at the next meeting of either branch after such application is made, or earlier, at the discretion of said committee.

6. A committee on *Ordinances*, to consist of the members of the committee on law department, to whom shall be referred all ordinances introduced in either branch, or transmitted to them by vote of any standing committee. Unless specially instructed, they shall pass upon the question of the form and legality of the ordinance so referred, they may append an order that such ordinance "ought not to pass," and give their reasons therefor, or report such ordinance in a new draft. Such

reports shall be made in not over two weeks from the meeting at which the reference was ordered, or the ordinance received from a committee.

7. A committee on *Police*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to the police department.

8. A committee on *Printing*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, who shall have the charge of all printing, advertising, or publishing ordered by or for the city council, or either branch, as one of its contingent or incidental expenses, and the supply of all stationery or binding for the same purpose. The committee shall fix the number of copies to be printed of any document printed as above, the minimum, however, to be six hundred; and they shall have the right to make rules and regulations for the care, custody, and distribution of all documents, books, pamphlets, and maps by the city messenger.

9. A committee on *Public Lands*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, to whom shall be referred all matters relating to public lands.

10. A committee on *Schools and School-houses*, to consist of four aldermen and seven councilmen, to whom shall be referred matters relating to the public schools, and requests of the school committee for additional school accommodations.

JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

RULE 2. Every joint special committee ordered by the city council shall, unless otherwise provided in the order, be appointed in the manner provided in Rule 1.

JOINT COMMITTEES.

RULE 3. The member of the board of aldermen first named on every joint committee shall be its chairman; and in case of his resignation or inability, the other members of the same board in the order designated by the chairman of the board, and after them the members of the common council in the order named, shall act as chairman. The chairman shall call meetings of the committee at his discretion, or at the written request of a majority of the members.

RULE 4. Every joint committee shall cause records of their proceedings to be kept in books provided for that purpose; and at every meeting of a committee the records of the previous meeting shall be read, unless otherwise ordered by the committee. In all such meetings of committees all votes shall, at the request of any member, be taken by yeas and nays and recorded.

RULE 5. No meeting of any committee shall, without the consent of all the members thereof, be called upon less notice than twenty-four hours from the time the clerk shall have mailed the notices or despatched them by special messenger.

RULE 6. Any joint committee may expend from the appropriation for contingent expenses an amount not exceeding two hundred dollars

in any one year, for purposes connected with the duties of said committee for which no provision has been otherwise made.

CONFERENCE COMMITTEES.

RULE 7. In every case of disagreement between the two branches of the city council, if either branch shall request a conference, and appoint a committee of conference, the other branch shall also appoint such a committee, and such committees shall consist of not less than five members each. Both committees shall, at an hour to be agreed upon by their chairmen, meet and state to each other, verbally or in writing, as either shall choose, the reasons for the action of their respective branches in relation to the matter in controversy, shall confer freely thereon, and shall report to their respective branches.

REFERENCE TO COMMITTEES.

RULE 8. When an order or resolution relates to a subject which may properly be examined and reported upon by an existing committee of the city council, such order or resolution shall, upon presentation, be referred to such committee. Either branch of the city council may commit or recommit to a joint committee; but a reference with instructions shall require concurrent action.

REPORTS OF JOINT COMMITTEES.

RULE 9. No report of a joint committee shall be received by either branch of the city council unless agreed to by such committee at a duly notified meeting thereof. The report of a committee upon any subject referred to it shall, unless otherwise ordered by the city council or by the committee, be presented to the branch in which the order of reference originated. It shall be the duty of every joint committee to which any subject may be specially referred, to report thereon within four weeks, or to ask for further time.

RULE 10. All reports and other papers submitted to the city council shall be written or printed, and no indorsement of any kind shall be made on the reports, memorials, or other papers, excepting those made by the officers of either branch, or the name of the member offering the same. Every report of a committee shall be signed by a member belonging to the body to which it shall be presented, unless otherwise directed by the committee. Every member presenting an order, ordinance, or resolution, shall have his name indorsed thereon. Such member shall be informed, by the clerk of the committee to which the matter is referred, of the time fixed for its consideration, if he give notice of his desire to be heard thereon.

RULE 11. Any report containing any recommendation, other than "leave to withdraw," or "inexpedient to take further action," or reference to another board or committee, shall be accompanied by an ordinance, order, or resolve, embodying such recommendation; and such report shall be acted upon separately.

RULE 12. Any member of a joint committee may submit a minority report at the same time as the majority report, and, if the latter be in print, he shall be allowed to submit his report also in print. Either branch may order to be printed the report of any committee submitted to it, or any document relating to a subject under consideration, the expense thereof to be charged to the general appropriation for printing.

NOTICE TO OTHER BRANCH.

RULE 13. All papers requiring concurrent action shall be transmitted from one branch of the city council to the other before the next regular meeting of the latter branch, with the action of the branch sending them indorsed thereon, and signed by the regular presiding officer of such branch, or, in his absence, by the clerk, or assistant clerk, of such body. In case of votes or action by either branch, not based on written orders or papers, notice of the same shall be transmitted to the other branch, signed as hereinbefore directed. In case any ordinance, order, or resolution, originating in one branch, shall fail to pass in the other, notice thereof shall be given, under the signature of the clerk, to the branch in which the same originated.

ORDERS AND RESOLUTIONS.

RULE 14. In all votes requiring concurrent action the form of expression shall be "Ordered" for everything by way of command; and the form shall be "Resolved" for everything expressing opinions, principles, facts or purposes.

APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES.

RULE 15. Whenever the city council shall order an expenditure by any committee, board or officer, either in addition to the estimates on which the appropriation was made, or for an object not included in such estimates, it shall provide for the payment of the same.

RULE 16. No expenditure shall be made from the reserved fund except by a transfer to some other appropriation, or to a new appropriation to be established, and no expenditure shall be charged to the appropriation for incidental expenses except transfers and the expenditures therefrom provided for in the ordinances.

RULE 17. Every application for an additional appropriation, to be provided for by transfer or loan, shall be referred to the committee on finance, and no such additional appropriation shall be made until the said committee has reported thereon.

RULE 18. No order authorizing the borrowing of money, or the transfer of one appropriation or part of an appropriation to another appropriation, shall be passed, unless two-thirds of the whole number of the members of each branch of the city council vote in the affirmative, by vote taken by yea and nay.

BILLS AND ACCOUNTS.

RULE 19. No presiding officer of a board, or chairman of a committee, unless duly authorized by such board or committee, shall approve any bill or account against the city.

AMENDMENT OR REPEAL.

RULE 20. The foregoing rules shall not be altered, amended, suspended or repealed, at any time, except by the votes of two-thirds of the members of each branch of the city council present and voting thereon.

COMMITTEES.

STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Armories and Military Affairs. — Berwin, Conry, Lott, Cleary.
County Accounts. — Conry, O'Toole, Paige, Presho.
Electric Wires. — Codman, Berwin, Norton, Cleary.
Faneuil Hall, etc. — O'Toole, Codman, Charles, Paige.
Lamps. — Dixon, Berwin, O'Toole, Codman.
Licenses. — Charles, Presho, Lott, Dixon.
Markets. — Norton, Codman, O'Toole, Lott.
Railroads. — Paige, Dyar, Cleary, Dixon.
Public Improvements. — The Whole Board. Charles, Chairman.
Sub-Committees: *Paving Division* — Presho, Norton, Paige. *Sewer Division* — O'Toole, Berwin, Cleary. *Sanitary Division* — Codman, O'Toole, Dixon. *Ferry Division* — Dixon, Lott, Conry. *Bridge Division* — Lott, Conry, Berwin. *Street-Cleaning Division* — Cleary, Presho, Norton.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN.

Inspection of Prisons. — Cleary, Lott, Dixon, Presho.
Rules and Orders. — Presho, Norton, Codman, O'Toole.
State Aid. — Lott, Charles, Paige.
Street Railways. — Paige, Dyar, Cleary, Dixon.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES OF THE COMMON COUNCIL.

Badges. — John H. Dunn, Charles P. Nangle, Arthur P. Russell.
Roxbury Crossing Traffic. — Charles P. Nangle, John J. Flanagan, James J. Casey.
Sanitary Condition of Places of Amusement. — William P. Hickey, Patrick H. Brennan, Arthur G. Wood, William J. Cronin, Charles W. Dennis.
Underground Wires. — John H. Dunn, Michael T. Callahan, Edward H. Madden, A. Dudley Bagley, Willard W. Hibbard.
Rules and Orders. — John P. Lanergan, George Holden Tinkham, James H. Donovan, John I. Toland, Walter E. Nichols.
East Boston Grade Crossing. — Joseph F. Hickey, Charles I. Albee, James H. Donovan, A. Dudley Bagley, William J. Cronin, Collingwood C. Millar.
Powers of Common Council, etc. — Michael W. Norris, Austin Bigelow, William S. B. Stevens, James A. Watson, Frederick W. Klemm.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

Appropriations. — *Aldermen* — Salem D. Charles, Edward W. Presho, Perlie A. Dyar, William Berwin, Franklin L. Codman, William H. Lott, Milton C. Paige, Michael H. Cleary, Joseph A. Conry, Edward W. Dixon, Joseph J. Norton, Frank J. O'Toole. *Common Council* — Timothy L. Connolly, Charles I. Albee, John H. Dunn, Dennis J. Falvey, John I. Toland, Edwin D. Bell, Charles P. Nangle, Samuel H. Borofsky, Daniel V. McIsaac, Willard W. Hibbard, John J. Curley, Walter E. Nichols.

Assessing Department. — *Aldermen* — Michael H. Cleary, Milton C. Paige, Joseph J. Norton, Salem D. Charles. *Common Council* — Dennis J. Falvey, William J. Cronin, Charles E. Eddy, Frank H. Cowin, Thomas J. Collins, Andrew Brauer, Edward A. Armistead.

Auditing Department. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole, Franklin L. Codman. *Common Council* — Louis Sonnabend, *Edward P. Sands, Samuel H. Borofsky, William F. Harrington, Dennis J. Falvey, Charles F. Adams.

Baths Department — *Aldermen* — William Berwin, Salem D. Charles, Edward W. Presho, Frank J. O'Toole. *Common Council* — Charles P. Nangle, William J. Cronin, Michael T. Callahan, William S. B. Stevens, Joseph A. Turnbull, William D. Wheeler, Paul F. Folsom.

Building Department. — *Aldermen* — William H. Lott, Salem D. Charles, Milton C. Paige, Joseph J. Norton. *Common Council* — John J. Flanagan, William J. Cronin, John I. Toland, Charles W. Dennis, Samuel Kasanof, Michael J. McColgan, Charles E. Eddy.

Cemetery Department. — *Aldermen* — Salem D. Charles, William H. Lott, Joseph J. Norton, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — Konrad Young, Michael J. Donovan, Michael T. Callahan, Abram Jordan, John F. Desmond, Daniel J. Donnelly, Alfred Newmarch.

City Clerk Department. — *Aldermen* — Michael H. Cleary, Franklin L. Codman, Edward W. Dixon, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — Michael T. Athridge, William E. Harvey, Michael F. Hart, John P. Lanergan, Thomas J. Collins, A. Dudley Bagley, William S. B. Stevens.

City Messenger Department. — *Aldermen* — Joseph J. Norton, Michael H. Cleary, Edward W. Dixon, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — John H. Dunn, Arthur P. Russell, John F. Desmond, David B. Chamberlain, Thomas J. Collins, Frank H. Cowin, Edward A. Armistead.

Claims. — *Aldermen* — Salem D. Charles, Franklin L. Codman, Edward W. Dixon, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — John P. Lanergan, William J. Cronin, George Holden Tinkham, Daniel V. McIsaac, Frank H. Cowin, David R. Robinson, Charles F. Adams.

Clerk of Committees Department. — *Aldermen* — Michael H. Cleary, William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole, Edward W. Presho. *Common*

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* Resigned.

Council — John J. Curley, John P. Sullivan, Wilbur F. Adams, James F. Mulcahy, Charles I. Albee, Charles A. Horrigan, Arthur P. Russell.

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, Joseph A. Conry, Milton C. Paige, Michael H. Cleary. *Common Council* — Charles P. Nangle, William H. Cuddy, Frederick W. Farwell, John D. Fenton, John F. Desmond, Paul F. Folsom, A. Dudley Bagley.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, Frank J. O'Toole, William H. Lott, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — William S. B. Stevens, Charles A. Horrigan, Michael T. Athridge, Samuel C. Jones, James F. Mulcahy, Joseph F. Hickey, * Harry B. Whall.

ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, Milton C. Paige, Salem D. Charles, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — Daniel V. McIsaac, David R. Robinson, Michael F. Hart, William E. Bennett, James A. Watson, William E. Harvey, Arthur P. Russell.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Joseph J. Norton, William Berwin, Salem D. Charles, Franklin L. Codman. *Common Council* — James F. Mulcahy, William H. Cuddy, Collingwood C. Millar, Charles A. Horrigan, Charles F. Adams, Arthur G. Wood, James A. Watson.

FINANCE. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, Joseph A. Conry, Franklin L. Codman, Salem D. Charles, William Berwin, Joseph J. Norton, William H. Lott, Michael H. Cleary. *Common Council* — Timothy L. Connolly, Michael W. Norris, George Holden Tinkham, Michael H. Leonard, Joseph A. Turnbull, Louis Sonnabend, Samuel C. Jones, Michael J. Donovan, James J. Casey, James H. Donovan, Austin Bigelow.

FIRE DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, Michael H. Cleary, Milton C. Paige, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — Michael J. McColgan, Joseph F. Hickey, A. Dudley Bagley, Daniel J. Donnelly, William Martin, David B. Chamberlain, Andrew Brauer.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Frank J. O'Toole, William Berwin, Joseph J. Norton, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — John J. Flanagan, Samuel Kasanof, David B. Chamberlain, William H. Cuddy, Charles W. Dennis, John J. Curley, Abram Jordan.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott, Joseph J. Norton, Franklin L. Codman. *Common Council* — John L. Donovan, John P. Lanergan, Samuel Kasanof, Konrad Young, Patrick H. Brennan, Edward A. Armistead, Willard W. Hibbard.

INSPECTION OF VESSELS AND BALLAST DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Frank J. O'Toole, Milton C. Paige, Salem D. Charles, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — Frank H. Cowin, Arthur G. Wood, William F. Harrington, James A. Watson, Wilbur F. Adams, Arthur P. Russell, Alfred Newmarch.

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* Resigned.

INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole, Edward W. Presho, Joseph J. Norton. *Common Council* — James H. Donovan, John P. Sullivan, Austin Bigelow, Thomas J. Collins, Samuel H. Borofsky, Edwin D. Bell, Paul F. Folsom.

LAMP DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, William Berwin, Frank J. O'Toole, Franklin L. Codman. *Common Council* — James J. Casey, Michael Leonard, Frederick W. Klemm, Joseph F. Hickey, John P. Sullivan, Charles F. Adams, Alfred Newmarch.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, Frank J. O'Toole, William H. Lott, Salem D. Charles. *Common Council* — Michael W. Norris, Samuel H. Borofsky, George Holden Tinkham, John P. Lanergan, Daniel V. McIsaac, Alfred Newmarch, Clarence W. Sanderson.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Joseph J. Norton, Edward W. Presho, Salem D. Charles, William Berwin. *Common Council* — James F. Mulcahy, Louis Sonnabend, Samuel C. Jones, William E. Bennett, Arthur G. Wood, Frederick W. Klemm, Samuel Kasanof.

MARKET DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Joseph J. Norton, Franklin L. Codman, Frank J. O'Toole, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — Joseph A. Turnbull, Willard W. Hibbard, James H. Donovan, John P. Lanergan, Andrew Brauer, William P. Hickey, Austin Bigelow.

ORDINANCES AND LAW DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Salem D. Charles, Edward W. Presho, Frank J. O'Toole, William Berwin. *Common Council* — Michael W. Norris, John J. Flanagan, George Holden Tinkham, William H. Cuddy, Joseph F. Hickey, Frederick W. Farwell, David R. Robinson.

OVERSEEING OF THE POOR. — *Aldermen* — Joseph A. Conry, William Berwin, Michael H. Cleary, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — Dennis J. Falvey, John P. Lanergan, Louis T. Howard, Joseph F. Hickey, Daniel J. Donnelly, *Harry B. Whall, Collingwood C. Millar.

PARK DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Franklin L. Codman, Michael H. Cleary, William H. Lott, Joseph J. Norton. *Common Council* — William P. Hickey, Charles P. Nangle, Willard W. Hibbard, Charles F. Adams, Frank H. Cowin, John H. Dunn, Charles H. Atkins.

POLICE. — *Aldermen* — William Berwin, Edward W. Dixon, Edward W. Presho, Michael H. Cleary. *Common Council* — John I. Toland, Michael J. Donovan, Samuel C. Jones, Michael T. Athridge, John L. Donovan, Walter E. Nichols, David B. Chamberlain.

PRINTING. — *Aldermen* — Joseph A. Conry, Edward W. Presho, Joseph J. Norton, William Berwin. *Common Council* — James H. Donovan, Michael T. Callahan, Charles I. Albee, Michael F. Hart, Michael J. McColgan, William F. Harrington, Konrad Young.

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PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole, Milton C. Paige, Joseph J. Norton. *Common Council* — Michael J. Lydon, William Martin, Willard W. Hibbard, Samuel Kasanof, Charles W. Dennis, William E. Bennett, Charles A. Atkins.

PUBLIC GROUNDS DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Frank J. O'Toole, Edward W. Presho, Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — James F. Mulcahy, Patrick H. Brennan, William D. Wheeler, Daniel J. Donnelly, Charles P. Nangle, Frederick W. Farwell, Abram Jordan.

PUBLIC LANDS. — *Aldermen* — Milton C. Paige, Michael H. Cleary, Edward W. Presho, Joseph J. Norton. *Common Council* — John H. Dunn, Charles P. Nangle, Michael T. Callahan, Louis T. Howard, Edward H. Madden, William D. Wheeler, Edwin D. Bell.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, Franklin L. Codman, Salem D. Charles, Edward W. Presho. *Common Council* — Louis T. Howard, Joseph A. Turnbull, Edward H. Madden, Collingwood C. Millar, James A. Watson, Arthur P. Russell, Austin Bigelow.

SCHOOLS AND SCHOOL-HOUSES. — *Aldermen* — Franklin L. Codman, Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole. *Common Council* — Michael Leonard, William Martin, A. Dudley Bagley, Michael J. Lydon, Edward H. Madden, Charles A. Atkins, Frederick W. Klemm.

SEALING OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Joseph J. Norton, Michael H. Cleary, Milton C. Paige, Salem D. Charles. *Common Council* — John F. Desmond, Thomas J. Collins, William E. Harvey, Charles E. Eddy, Michael Leonard, William F. Harrington, *Edward P. Sands.

STREET DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Milton C. Paige, Michael H. Cleary, Franklin L. Codman, Frank J. O'Toole. *Common Council* — Patrick H. Brennan, Charles F. Adams, Michael T. Athridge, William F. Harrington, Michael J. Lydon, Wilbur F. Adams, Clarence W. Sanderson.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — William Berwin, Salem D. Charles, Milton C. Paige, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — John D. Fenton, John L. Donovan, Konrad Young, Michael T. Athridge, Charles A. Horrigan, Harry B. Whall, Paul F. Folsom.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Joseph A. Conry, Franklin L. Codman, Michael H. Cleary, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — Daniel V. McIsaac, Edward H. Madden, William S. B. Stevens, John L. Donovan, William D. Wheeler, William P. Hickey, Charles E. Eddy.

WATER DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, Edward W. Presho, Frank J. O'Toole, William Berwin. *Common Council* — William E. Bennett, A. Dudley Bagley, John D. Fenton, Louis T. Howard, Patrick H. Brennan, John J. Curley, Abram Jordan.

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*Resigned.

WIRE DEPARTMENT. — *Aldermen* — Franklin L. Codman, William Berwin, Joseph J. Norton, Michael H. Cleary. *Common Council* — William P. Hickey, John J. Flanagan, Willard W. Hibbard, James F. Mulcahy, Patrick H. Brennan, Charles I. Albee, William E. Harvey.

JOINT SPECIAL COMMITTEES.

JULY FOURTH. — *Aldermen* — The whole Board: William H. Lott, *Chairman*. *Common Council* — Timothy L. Connolly, Charles I. Albee, James H. Donovan, John I. Toland, Joseph A. Turnbull, Dennis J. Falvey, Michael J. Donovan, Michael T. Callahan, Michael F. Hart, Michael Leonard, Walter E. Nichols, George Holden Tinkham, Arthur G. Wood, Michael Lydon, John H. Dunn, Daniel V. McIsaac, Frederick W. Farwell, Patrick H. Brennan, James J. Casey, Charles P. Nangle, Edwin D. Bell, Frederick W. Klemm, Charles F. Adams, Charles W. Dennis, Willard W. Hibbard, William D. Wheeler.

JUNE SEVENTEENTH. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Presho, William Berwin, Michael H. Cleary, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — Charles A. Horrigan, John I. Toland, William E. Bennett, Dennis J. Falvey, Joseph A. Turnbull, John P. Sullivan, John F. Desmond.

LABOR DAY. — *Aldermen* — Frank J. O'Toole, Franklin L. Codman, Joseph J. Norton, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — John H. Dunn, Edward H. Madden, William P. Hickey, Frederick W. Farwell, Michael T. Athridge, Walter E. Nichols, Konrad Young.

MAYOR'S ADDRESS. — *Aldermen* — Salem D. Charles, William Berwin, Edward W. Dixon, Edward W. Presho. *Common Council* — John P. Lanergan, Samuel H. Borofsky, Austin Bigelow, John D. Fenton, Edward H. Madden, William S. B. Stevens, *Edward P. Sands.

MEMORIAL DAY. — *Aldermen* — Joseph A. Conry, William Berwin, Joseph J. Norton, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — Austin Bigelow, John J. Flanagan, Thomas J. Collins, John D. Fenton, Collingwood C. Millar, John L. Donovan, Charles W. Dennis.

MERRIMAC-STREET FIRE. — *Aldermen* — William H. Lott, Joseph J. Norton, Milton C. Paige, Salem D. Charles. *Common Council* — John J. Flanagan, Samuel Borofsky, Frederick W. Farwell, William H. Cuddy, David B. Chamberlain, William D. Wheeler, Michael T. Athridge.

PATRIOTS' DAY. — *Aldermen* — Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott, Frank J. O'Toole, William Berwin. *Common Council* — Michael J. Donovan, Edward H. Madden, Samuel H. Borofsky, Charles I. Albee, William F. Harrington, Joseph A. Turnbull, George Holden Tinkham.

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Pierce Eulogy. — *Aldermen* — Franklin L. Codman, Salem D. Charles, William H. Lott, Edward W. Dixon. *Common Council* — Timothy L. Connolly, Willard W. Hibbard, Edward H. Madden, William S. B. Stevens, Louis T. Howard.

Rules and Orders. — *Aldermen* — Frank J. O'Toole, Edward W. Presho, Joseph J. Norton, Franklin L. Codman, Edward W. Dixon, William H. Lott. *Common Council* — Timothy L. Connolly, John H. Dunn, Charles I. Albee, John J. Curley, Daniel V. McIsaac, Michael J. McColgan, Konrad Young.

Russell Eulogy. — *Aldermen* — Joseph A. Conry, Edward W. Presho, Joseph J. Norton, Milton C. Paige. *Common Council* — Michael T. Callahan, William B. Wheeler, Charles P. Nangle, Louis T. Howard, William J. Cronin, John P. Lanergan, A. Dudley Bagley.

EXECUTIVE OFFICERS.

The following table shows the manner in which Executive Officers or Heads of Executive Departments of the city are appointed or elected, the time of appointment or election, the term of office as prescribed by statute, ordinance, or both, and the salary received by each. All officers appointed by the Mayor are subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, except those whose titles are marked with a *.

Offices.	How Created.	Appointed.		Term.		Salary.
		By Whom.	When.	Begins.	Length of.	
Assessors	Statute	Mayor	Annually, three	May 1	Three years.	$3,000[1]
Auditor	"	"	Annually	" 1	One year	5,000
Baths Commissioners.	Ordinance	"	Annually, one or two	" 1	Five years	None.
Building Commis'er	Statute	"	Triennially.	" 1, 1895.	Three years.	$5,000
Cemetery Trustees	"	"	Annually, one	" 1	Five years	None.
Children's Institutions Trustees *	"	"	Annually, one or two	" 1	"	"
City Clerk	"	[2]City Council	January	When qualified	One year	$5,000
City Messenger	Ordinance	"	Annually	May 1	"	4,000
Clerk of Committees	"	"	"	" 1	"	4,000
Collector, City	Statute	Mayor	"	" 1	"	5,000
Election Commissioners *	"	"	Annually, one	" 1	Four years	3,500[1]
Engineer, City	Ordinance	"	Annually	" 1	One year	6,000
Fire Commissioner *	Statute	"	Triennially.	" 1, 1895.	Three years.	5,000
Health Commis'ers	Ordinance	"	Annually, one	" 1	"	4,000[2]
Hospital, City, Trustees	Statute	"	"	" 1	Five years	None.
Hospital, Insane, Trustees *	"	"	Annually, one or two	" 1	"	"
Institutions Registrar*	"	"	Annually	" 1	One year	$3,000
Lamps, Superintendent of	Ordinance	"	"	" 1	"	3,500

[1] Chairman, $500 additional.
[2] By concurrent vote.

Offices.	How Created.	Appointed.		Term.		Salary.
		By Whom.	When.	Begins.	Length of.	
Law Officers:						
Corporation Counsel.	Ordinance..	Mayor.....	Annually...	May 1.... ..	One year....	$7,500
City Solicitor.....	" ..	"	"	" 1.....	"	7,500
Library, Public, Trustees of.....	Statute.....	"	Annually, one..	" 1.....	Five years...	None.
Markets, Superintendent of..	Ordinance..	"	Annually...	" 1.....	One year....	$3,000
Music Commissioners.	" ..	"	Annually, one.....	" 1.....	Five years...	None.
Overseers of the Poor.	Statute.....	"	Annually, four.....	" 1.....	Three years..	"
Park Commissioners..	"	"	Annually, one.....	" 1.....	"	"
Pauper Institutions Trustees *.....	"	"	Annually, one or two.	" 1.....	Five years...	"
Penal Institutions Commissioner *.....	"	"	Triennially.	" 1, 1895..	Three years..	$5,000
Printing, Superintendent of.....	Ordinance..	"	Annually...	" 1.....	One year....	3,000
Public Buildings, Superintendent of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1.....	"	3,600
Public Grounds, Superintendent of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1.....	"	4,000
Registrar, City.....	Statute.. ..	"	"	" 1.....	"	4,000
Sinking-Funds Commissioners.....	"	"	Annually, two.....	" 1.....	Three years..	None.
Soldiers' Relief Commissioner.....	"	"	Annually, one.....	" 1.....	One year....	$3,500
Statistics Commissioners.....	Ordinance..	"	Annually, one.....	" 1.....	Five years...	None.
Streets, Superintendent of.....	" ..	"	Annually...	" 1.....	One year....	$7,500
Street Commissioners.	Statute.	Vote of the People.....	Annually, one.....	1st Monday in Jan....	Three years..	4,000[1]
Treasurer.....	"	Mayor.....	Annually...	May 1.....	One year ...	6,000
Vessels and Ballast, Inspector of.....	"	"	"	" 1.....	"	Fees.
Water Commissioner*.	"	"	Triennially.	" 1, 1895..	Three years..	$5,000
Weights and Measures, Sealer of.....	"	"	Annually...	" 1.....	One year....	3,000
Deputy Sealers.. ..	"	"	Annually, ten.....	" 1.....	" ...	1,600
Wire Commissioner...	"	"	Triennially.	" 1, 1894..	Three years..	5,000

[1] Chairman, $500 additional.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

ASSESSING DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, first floor.

[Stat. 1854. Chap. 448, § 37; 1884, Chap. 123; Rev. Ord. 1898, Chap. 5.]

BOARD OF ASSESSORS.

FRANK A. DREW, *Chairman.*
GEORGE A. COMINS, *Secretary.*

ASSESSORS.

SAMUEL HICHBORN, EDWARD B. DAILY, E. MERTAIN HATCH. Terms end in 1901.

FRANK A. DREW, CHARLES E. FOLSOM, JOHN M. MAGUIRE. Terms end in 1900.

JOHN H. DONOVAN, JOHN J. MURPHY, GEORGE A. COMINS. Terms end in 1899.

EDWARD T. KELLY, *Clerk.*

The Assessors published annual tax-lists from 1822 to 1866. Since 1866 the records of the department are almost entirely in manuscript, except the annual list of polls. Annual reports have been made since 1890.

ASSISTANTS.

[Stat. 1885, Chap. 266, § 2; Stat. 1894, Chap. 276; Rev. Ord. 1898, Chap. 5, § 1.]

The First Assistants are appointed annually by the Assessors, subject to confirmation by the Mayor, one for each assessment district; one-half must be from one of the two leading political parties. The Assessors and first assistants organize as the Board of Assessors and Assistant Assessors, of which body the Secretary of the Board of Assessors is at present the Secretary. The first assistants receive $7 each per day for street duty, and $350 each for office duty.

The Second Assistants are appointed annually in the same manner as the First Assistants, one for each assessment district; each Second

NOTE.—Pub. Stat. refers to the Massachusetts Public Statutes of 1882. Stat., alone, to the annual Statutes or Acts and Resolves of Massachusetts; Rev. Ord., to the Revised Ordinances of 1898.

The municipal year begins with the first Monday in January.

The financial year begins with February 1.

Corrections are made up to September 25, 1898.

Assistant being a resident of the ward that includes the assessment district for which he is appointed. Salary, $5 each per day.

The assessment districts, with First and Second Assistants assigned to each, are as follows: —

District 1. The whole of Ward 1 (East Boston). Charles A. Tilden, John Marno.

Dist. 2. The whole of Ward 2 (East Boston). Thomas O. McEnany, Irwin Clarke.

Dist. 3. The whole of Ward 3 (Charlestown). James J. Mellen, Benjamin F. Bowditch.

Dist. 4. The whole of Ward 4 (Charlestown). Dennis G. Quirk, Charles W. Pearson.

Dist. 5. The whole of Ward 5 (Charlestown). Frank J. Enos, William F. Connors.

Dist. 6. That part of Ward 6 lying northerly of a line beginning at the junction of Travers and Beverly streets; thence by the centre lines of Beverly, Cooper, Salem, Parmenter, Hanover and Richmond streets, Atlantic and Eastern avenues, to the Harbor Commissioners' line. Timothy J. Murphy, Michael Cangiano.

Dist. 7. That part of Ward 6 lying southerly and easterly of a line beginning at the junction of School and Washington streets; thence through the centre lines of Washington, Hanover and Richmond streets, Atlantic and Eastern avenues, to the Harbor Commissioners' line. Joseph D. Dillworth, Frank J. Lewis.

Dist. 8. That part of Ward 6 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Travers and Beverly streets; thence by the centre lines of Beverly, Cooper, Salem, Parmenter, Hanover and Washington streets, to the boundary line of Ward 7. Edwin R. Spinney, Edward A. Rogan.

Dist. 9. All that part of Ward 7 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at Mt. Washington-avenue bridge; thence by the centre lines of Mt. Washington avenue, Kneeland, Albany, Kingston, Summer and Otis streets, Winthrop square and Devonshire street, to the boundary line of Ward 6. Nathan P. Ryder, Henry J. Ireland.

Dist. 10. That part of Ward 7 lying northerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Pleasant and Eliot streets; thence by the centre lines of Eliot, Kneeland, Albany, Kingston, Summer and Otis streets, Winthrop square and Devonshire street, to the boundary line of Ward 6. Charles B. Hunting, Alexander P. Brown.

Dist. 11. All that part of Ward 7 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Pleasant and Eliot streets; thence by the centre lines of Eliot and Kneeland streets and Mt. Washington avenue to Fort Point channel. George W. Carr, Michael F. Meagher.

Dist. 12. That part of Ward 8 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at Craigie's bridge; thence by the centre lines of Leverett,

Green, Chambers and Cambridge streets, to the boundary line of Ward 6. DANIEL A. DOWNEY, MICHAEL J. TOUMEY.

DIST. 13. That part of Ward 8 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at Craigie's bridge; thence by the centre lines of Leverett, Green, Chambers and Cambridge streets, to the boundary line of Ward 6. THOMAS C. BUTLER, BERNARD J. MCGOWAN.

DIST. 14. The whole of Ward 9. JOHN J. GARTLAND, HUBERT G. BURKE.

DIST. 15. That part of Ward 10 lying southerly and easterly of the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and the centre line of Berkeley street, to the boundary line of Ward 11. CHARLES J. DOWD, WILLIAM A. BYRNE.

DIST. 16. That part of Ward 10 lying northerly and westerly of the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad and the centre line of Berkeley street, to the boundary line of Ward 11. HARRY O. ALEXANDER, HUGH D. MONTAGUE, JR.

DIST. 17. That part of Ward 11 lying easterly of a line beginning at the Charles river; thence by the centre line of Clarendon street, to the boundary line of Ward 10. FREDERICK H. TEMPLE, JAMES E. GRAY.

DIST. 18. That part of Ward 11 lying westerly of a line beginning at the Charles river; thence by the centre line of Clarendon to the boundary line of Ward 10. GEORGE WARREN, JEROME J. CROWLEY.

DIST. 19. The whole of Ward 12. GEORGE A. KING, CHARLES J. MCHUGH.

DIST. 20. The whole of Ward 13. ROGER H. SCANNELL, JOSEPH F. RIPP.

DIST. 21. The whole of Ward 14. JOHN C. COOK, JOHN J. TOOMEY.

DIST. 22. The whole of Ward 15. CHARLES O. BURRILL, JOHN H. HOUT.

DIST. 23. That part of Ward 16 lying northerly and easterly of the centre lines of Norfolk and Cottage streets. JAMES I. MOORE, WILLIAM H. ALLEN.

DIST. 24. That part of Ward 16 lying southerly and westerly of the centre lines of Norfolk and Cottage streets. CHARLES H. SNOW, JOHN S. MCDONOUGH.

DIST. 25. The whole of Ward 17. THOMAS H. BOND, PATRICK F. HOPKINS.

DIST. 26. The whole of Ward 18. EDWARD W. DOLAN, JOHN P. GEISHECKER.

DIST. 27. That part of Ward 19 lying northerly and westerly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by the centre lines of Huntington avenue, Tremont street and the centre line of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Prentiss street. JAMES P. FOX, JOHN J. SULLIVAN.

DIST. 28. That part of Ward 19 lying southerly and easterly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by the centre lines of Huntington avenue and Tremont street, and the centre line of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Prentiss street. ROBERT CULBERT, GEORGE W. CROCKER.

DIST. 29. That part of Ward 20 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at the junction of Quincy and Columbia streets; thence by the centre lines of Columbia, Barrington and Bowdoin streets, Geneva avenue and Park street, to the boundary line of Ward 24. JOHN H. DONOVAN, EDWARD W. GRIGGS.

DIST. 30. That part of Ward 20 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Quincy and Columbia streets; thence by the centre lines of Columbia, Barrington and Bowdoin streets, Geneva avenue, and Park street to the boundary line of Ward 24. WILLIAM B. SMART, OLIVER F. DAVENPORT.

DIST. 31. That part of Ward 21 lying northerly of a line beginning at the junction of Washington and Valentine streets; thence by the centre lines of Washington, Dale, Warren and Savin streets to the boundary line of Ward 16. ALONZO F. ANDREWS, LOUIS BURKHARDT.

DIST. 32. That part of Ward 21 lying southerly of a line beginning at the junction of Washington and Valentine streets; thence through Washington, Dale, Warren and Savin streets to the boundary line of Ward 16. JOHN H. GRIGGS, IRVING P. GAMMON.

DIST. 33. That part of Ward 22 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at the junction of Day street and Grotto glen; thence by the centre lines of Day and Centre streets and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the boundary line of Ward 23. HENRY W. KELLY, WALTER E. MERRIAM.

DIST. 34. That part of Ward 22 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Day street and Grotto glen; thence by the centre lines of Day and Centre streets and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the boundary line of Ward 23. FRANK S. PRATT, WILLIAM DOONAN.

DIST. 35. That part of Ward 23 lying northerly and westerly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Newton; thence by the centre lines of Baker, Gardner and Spring streets, the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch, Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Green street. EDWARD P. BUTLER, JAMES F. DOWLING.

DIST. 36. That part of Ward 23 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park; thence by the centre lines of Metropolitan avenue, Kittredge and Norfolk

streets, and Dudley avenue, and the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch, Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad; and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to Green street. JOHN H. GIBLIN, JAMES A. COUTTS.

DIST. 37. That part of Ward 23 lying southerly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Newton and Boston; thence by the centre lines of Baker, Gardner and Spring streets, the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch, Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, the centre lines of Dudley avenue, Norfolk and Kittredge streets, and Metropolitan avenue to the boundary line of Hyde Park. MICHAEL F. DOLAN, CLINTON P. DURYEA.

DIST. 38. That part of Ward 24 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at the junction of Dorchester avenue and Greenwich street; thence by the centre lines of Dorchester avenue, Ashmont, Carruth, New Minot, Adams and Granite streets to the ward line in Neponset river. WILLIAM G. BAIL, WILLIAM A. CHAMBERLAIN.

DIST. 39. That part of Ward 24 lying within the following-described lines: Beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Milton; thence by the centre lines of Washington, Morton, Corbet, Norfolk, and Centre streets, Dorchester avenue, Ashmont, Carruth, New Minot, Adams and Granite streets to the boundary line between Boston and Milton; thence by said boundary line to the point of beginning. WILLIAM D. LANG, JOSEPH A. SINGLER.

DIST. 40. That part of Ward 24 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the junction of Talbot avenue and Norfolk street; thence by the centre lines of Norfolk, Corbet, Morton and Washington streets to the boundary line between Boston and Milton. FRANCIS N. PLUMMER, JOHN A. DILLON.

DIST. 41. That part of Ward 25 lying northerly and easterly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Watertown; thence by the centre lines of North Beacon, Parsons, Washington and Cambridge streets to Charles river. BENJAMIN M. FISKE, PATRICK F. CARLEY.

DIST. 42. That part of Ward 25 lying southerly and westerly of a line beginning at the boundary line between Cambridge and Boston; thence by the centre lines of Cambridge, Washington, Parsons and North Beacon streets to Charles river. GEORGE W. WARREN, J. HARRIS AUBIN.

AUDITING DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, first floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 6.]

JAMES H. DODGE, *City Auditor.* Appointed annually. Salary, $5,000.

The office of Auditor was established by ordinance on August 2, 1824. Regular annual reports of receipts and expenditures have been

published by the Auditor since 1825. These reports show the annual receipts of the city and county, the debt, and the public property. Similar, but less complete, reports were published by finance committees from 1811 to 1824, inclusive. Since June 1, 1867, the Auditor has published monthly exhibits of all City and County expenditures.

The City Auditor is also Auditor of the County of Suffolk and Secretary of the Board of Commissioners of Sinking-Funds. (Pub. Stat. Chap. 23, 33, 34–35; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 3, § 5.)

BATHS DEPARTMENT.

Office, 64 Pemberton square.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 7.]

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

THOMAS J. LANE, *Chairman.*
DANIEL D. KEARNS, *Secretary.*

LEONARD D. AHL. Term ends in 1903.
ROBERT A. WOODS and MRS. LAWRENCE J. LOGAN. Terms end in 1902.
JOHN DUFF, M.D. Term ends in 1901.
MRS. JACOB H. HECHT and PATRICK A. TRACY. Terms end in 1900.
THOMAS J. LANE. Term ends in 1899.

The Board has the care and custody of all bath-houses, gymnasia, urinals and public convenience stations established by the city.

The Baths Department has charge of the following:

BEACH BATHS.

WOOD ISLAND PARK, East Boston, Ward 1, two houses, for men and women.

NORTH END PARK, Boston proper, Ward 6 (opposite Copp's Hill burial ground, Commercial street), two houses, for men and women.

MEDFORD STREET, Charlestown, Ward 4 (opposite Charlestown Heights), two houses, for men and women.

L STREET, South Boston, Ward 14, for men.

K STREET, South Boston, Ward 14, for women.

CHARLES-RIVER BEACH, Ward 23, two houses, for men and women.

FREEPORT STREET, Dorchester, Ward 24, two houses, for men and women.

NEPONSET BEACH, Neponset, Ward 24, for men.

SWIMMING-POOLS.

ORCHARD PARK, Ward 17, two houses, for men and women, at different hours.

Cabot street, Ward 18, one house, for men and women, at different hours.

FLOATING–BATHS.

Neponset bridge, Ward 24, one house, for women.

Charles river, Ward 23, two houses, for men and women.

Dover-street bridge, Ward 9, two houses, for men and women.

Harvard bridge, Ward 11, one house, for men.

West Boston bridge, Ward 8, one house, for men and women, at different hours.

Craigie's bridge, Ward 8, one house, for men.

Warren bridge, Ward 5, two houses, for men and women.

Malden bridge, Ward 4, one house, for men and women, at different hours.

Chelsea bridge, Ward 3, one house, for men and women, at different hours.

Border street, East Boston, Ward 2, two houses, for men and women.

Maverick street, East Boston, Ward 2, one house, for men and women, at different hours.

The Dover-street bath-house, to furnish shower and tub baths throughout the year, which has just been completed and opened to the public, is also under charge of the department. This house is for the use of both men and women. The laundry work of the department will be done at the Dover-street bath-house.

Besides the above, the East Boston Gymnasium, on Paris street, Ward 2, and the sixteen convenience stations located in various parts of the city, are under the care and supervision of the Baths Department.

BUILDING DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, second floor, Room 15.

[Stat. 1892, Chap. 419, § 2; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 24; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 8, and Chap. 45, §§ 28–39.]

John S. Damrell, *Building Commissioner*. Term ends in 1898. Salary, $5,000.

It is the duty of the Building Commissioner to issue permits for and inspect the erection and alteration of buildings in the city, and the setting of boilers, engines and furnaces; to keep a register of the names of all persons carrying on the business of plumbing and gasfitting, and of all persons working at said business, and to issue licenses to master and journeymen plumbers and gasfitters; to issue permits for and inspect the plumbing and gasfitting in a building, to inspect elevators in buildings and report upon elevator accidents, and to make the returns required by law relative to boilers.

BUILDING LIMITS.

[Stat. 1892, Chap. 419; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 45, § 27.]

Among other restrictions imposed by statute on the erection of buildings, it is provided that no wooden building shall be erected within such limits as shall from time to time be defined by ordinance. These limits are at present:

All that portion of the city which is included within a line beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dover and Albany streets, and thence running east through the centre of said Dover street to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the said Harbor Commissioners' line around the northerly portion of the city to a point on Charles river, at the intersection of said line with the easterly line of St. Mary's street extended; thence along said easterly line of St. Mary's street and the boundary line between Brookline and Boston to the centre of Longwood avenue; thence through the centre of said avenue to the centre of St. Alphonsus street; thence through the centre of said street to the centre of Ward street; thence through the centre of said Ward street to the centre of Parker street; thence through the centre of said Parker street to the centre of Ruggles street; thence through the centre of said Ruggles street to the centre of Washington street; thence through the centre of said Washington street to a point opposite the centre of Palmer street; thence through the centre of said Palmer street and through the centre of Eustis street to the centre of Hampden street; and thence through the centre of said Hampden street and the centre of Albany street to the point of beginning.

CEMETERY DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, top floor.

[Stat. 1897, Chap. 375, Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 9.]

BOARD OF CEMETERY TRUSTEES.

J. Albert Brackett, *Chairman.*
Nellie V. Norton, *Secretary.*

TRUSTEES.

Frederick E. Atteaux. Term ends in 1903.
J. Albert Brackett. Term ends in 1902.
Jacob Morse. Term ends in 1901.
William J. Fallon. Term ends in 1900.
Albert W. Hersey. Term ends in 1899.

James H. Morton, *Superintendent of Cemeteries.*

Office of Superintendent, at Mt. Hope Cemetery, Mattapan.

By Chap. 375 of the Acts of 1897, the Mayor was authorized to appoint a board of five trustees, subject to confirmation of the Board of

Aldermen, to have charge of Mt. Hope Cemetery and all other burial grounds owned by or in charge of the City of Boston.

Mt. Hope Cemetery was bought by the city in 1857 for $35,000, and additional land has been purchased since; this cemetery now contains about 106⅗ acres, and is situated in Ward 23, West Roxbury. The board of trustees was first appointed under the ordinance of December 21, 1857, and annual reports have been published since 1859.

The other burial grounds formerly under control of the Board of Health, but now under the jurisdiction of this department, are as follows:—

Bennington Street, East Boston.
Bunker Hill, Charlestown.
Phipps Street, Charlestown.
Copp's Hill, Charter and Hull streets.
King's Chapel, Tremont street, near School street.
Granary, Tremont street, opposite Bromfield.
Central, Boston Common.
South, Washington and East Concord streets.
Eliot, Washington and Eustis streets.
Warren, Kearsarge avenue, Roxbury.
Walter Street, Walter street, Roslindale.
Westerly, Centre, near La Grange street, West Roxbury.
Evergreen, South street, Brighton.
Market Street, Market street, Brighton.
Dorchester North, Upham's Corner.
Dorchester South, Dorchester avenue, opposite Brooks street.
Hawes, Emerson street, corner of L street.

CHILDREN'S INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Office, 32 Tremont Street.

[Stat. 1897, Chap. 395; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 10.]

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

HORATIO A. LAMB, *Chairman.*
CHARLES P. PUTNAM, M.D., *Secretary.*

TRUSTEES.

JOHN O'HARE. Term ends in 1903.
HORATIO A. LAMB. Term ends in 1902.
CHARLES P. PUTNAM, M.D. Term ends in 1901.
MRS. WILLIAM J. QUINN. Term ends in 1901.
CHARLES V. DASEY. Term ends in 1900.
MRS. DAVIS R. DEWEY. Terms ends in 1899.
MISS HELEN CHEEVER. Term ends in 1899.

The trustees have the charge and control of the house for the employment and reformation of juvenile offenders, known as the House

of Reformation at Rainsford Island, the Parental School for Truants at West Roxbury, and the Home for Pauper and Neglected Children on Marcella street, Roxbury, and purchase all the fuel and other supplies required for these institutions.

They have the charge and control of several hundred children placed in country homes, and the general supervision of the defective children, placed in institutions throughout the State, for whose care the city pays. They also have the control of the Infants' Summer Hospital at Rainsford Island.

CITY CLERK DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, second floor.

[Stat. 1854, Chap. 448, § 30; Stat. 1885, Chap. 266, § 2; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 11.]

J. Mitchel Galvin, *City Clerk.* Salary, $5,000.
John T. Priest, *Assistant City Clerk.* Salary, $3,800.

The City Clerk, chosen annually in January by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council, has the care and custody of the records of the Board of Aldermen, and of all city records, documents, maps, plans and papers, except those otherwise provided for. He also records chattel mortgages, assignments of wages, liens upon vessels, and performs other duties imposed by statute.

The City Clerk is, *ex officio*, Clerk of the Board of Aldermen and of meetings of both branches of the City Council when met in joint convention.

The Assistant City Clerk is appointed annually by the City Clerk, subject to the approval of the Mayor, and discharges the duties of the City Clerk in his absence, or in case of a vacancy in that office [Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 11, § 4]. By Pub. Stat., Chap. 28, § 10, the certificate or attestation of the Assistant City Clerk has equal effect with that of the City Clerk.

CITY MESSENGER DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, second floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 12.]

Edward J. Leary, *City Messenger.* Salary, $4,000.

The City Messenger, chosen annually by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council, is the official messenger of the City Council and its committees, and attends all meetings of the same; has the care and distribution of all documents printed for the use of the City Council, and is the custodian of the City Hall Building. He has charge of the city flag-staffs, display of flags in the public grounds, and of the ropes and stakes used in closing streets and squares on

public occasions. The office was established by the ordinance of October 14, 1852. He appoints all his subordinates.

CLERK OF COMMITTEES DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, second floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 13.]

JOHN F. DEVER, *Clerk of Committees.* Salary, $4,000.
WILFRED J. DOYLE, *Assistant Clerk of Committees.* Salary, $2,000.

The Clerk of Committees, chosen annually by concurrent vote of the two branches of the City Council, acts as the clerk of all committees of the City Council, keeping the records of the same, and has charge of the City Hall Reference Library. He appoints all his subordinates.

The Assistant Clerk discharges the duties of the clerk when that officer is absent and when there is a vacancy in his office [Rev. Ord., Chap. 13, § 4].

COLLECTING DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, first floor.

[Stat. 1875, Chap. 176; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 14.]

NATHANIEL H. TAYLOR, *City Collector.* Appointed annually. Salary, $5,000.

The Collector collects and receives all assessments, betterments, rates, dues and money payable on any account to the City of Boston or the County of Suffolk. The separate office of Collector was established by statute in 1875. Annual reports have been published since 1876.

ELECTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, first floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 15; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, §§ 2–8; Stat. 1898, Chap. 548.]

BOARD OF ELECTION COMMISSIONERS.

LINUS E. PEARSON, *Chairman.*
TIMOTHY F. MCDONOUGH, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

JOSEPH J. CORBETT. Term ends in 1902. Salary, $3,500.
GEORGE P. SANGER. Term ends in 1901. Salary, $3,500.
TIMOTHY F. MCDONOUGH. Term ends in 1900. Salary, $3,500.
LINUS E. PEARSON. Term ends in 1899. Salary, $4,000.

The Board of Registrars of Voters was appointed in May, 1874, and was succeeded July 1, 1895, by the Board of Election Commissioners.

This department exercises all the powers and duties formerly conferred upon the Board of Registrars of Voters, including the preparation of the jury list, together with all the powers and duties formerly conferred upon the Mayor, Board of Aldermen and City Clerk, relating to elections in the City of Boston, except the power and duty of giving notice of elections, and fixing the days and hours for holding the same.

The Board also exercises all the powers and duties formerly conferred upon the City Clerk and other officers by Chapter 504 of the Acts of 1894, and acts in amendment thereof, relating to political committees and caucuses, and all laws relating to the registration of voters in the City of Boston.

ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, fourth floor.

[Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 21; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 16.]

WILLIAM JACKSON, *City Engineer.* Appointed annually. Salary, $6,000.

The duties of the City Engineer include the designing and superintending the construction of new bridges, retaining-walls, city wharves, and such other public engineering works as the City Council may authorize; the making of such surveys, plans, estimates, statements and descriptions, and taking such levels as the City Government or any of its departments or committees may require; the custody of all surveys and plans relating to the laying out, locating anew, altering, widening or discontinuing of streets; and the new engineering constructions for all departments of the city. He must be consulted on all work where the advice of a civil engineer would be of service. The office of City Engineer was established by ordinance on October 31, 1850, and by Chapter 449 of the Acts of 1895. Regular annual reports have been issued since 1868.

ARCHITECTURAL DIVISION.

Office, City Hall, sixth floor.

F. W. CHANDLER, *Consulting Architect.*

This division was detached, by order of His Honor the Mayor, from the Public Buildings Department, January 13, 1898, and placed under the Engineering Department. The work of this division is that of a consulting or expert force. It may be called upon by any department for technical advice on matters relating to building, heating or

ventilating. Plans or specifications for work to be done, in certain cases, by the Repairs Division of the Public Buildings Department, are prepared by this division, which is also charged with a general supervision of the work done by the Repairs Division of the Buildings Department.

FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Building, Bristol Street.

[Stat. 1850, Chap. 262; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, §§ 9–11; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 17.]

HENRY S. RUSSELL, *Commissioner.* Salary, $5,000. Term ends in 1901.
LEWIS P. WEBBER, *Chief of Department.*
WILLIAM T. CHESWELL, *First Assistant Chief.*
JOHN A. MULLEN, *Second Assistant Chief.*
BROWN S. FLANDERS, *Superintendent of Fire Alarms.*
HENRY M. HAWKINS, *Superintendent of Repairs.*
GEORGE W. STIMPSON, *Veterinary Surgeon.*

The Boston Fire Department was organized in 1837. It is in charge of one Commissioner, who has entire control of the department, a Chief, First and Second Assistant Chiefs, eleven District Chiefs, each in charge of a Fire District, Superintendent of Fire Alarms, and officers, enginemen, telegraph operators, etc. Annual reports have been published since 1874.

FIRE DISTRICTS AND CHIEFS.

DISTRICT 1. JOHN F. RYAN, *Chief.* All that part of Boston known as East Boston.

DIST. 2. C. H. W. POPE, *Chief.* All that part of Boston formerly known as Charlestown.

DIST. 3. JOSEPH M. GARRITY, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north and east by the water front, on the south by Summer street, and on the west by Washington and Charlestown streets.

DIST. 4. PETER F. MCDONOUGH, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north by the Charles river, on the east by Charlestown and Washington streets, on the south by Winter, Park and Beacon streets, and on the west by the Charles river and Berkeley street.

DIST. 5. N. L. HUSSEY, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north by Beacon, Park, Winter and Summer streets, on the east by Fort Point channel, on the south and west by Broadway, Way, Motte, Castle and Ferdinand streets, Columbus avenue and Berkeley street.

DIST. 6. JOHN A. MULLEN, *Chief.* All that part of Boston known as South Boston, and running south as far as Dorset and Locust streets.

DIST. 7. PATRICK E. KEYES, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north by Berkeley street, Columbus avenue, Ferdinand, Castle, Motte and Way streets and Broadway, on the east by Fort Point channel and South bay, on the south by Massachusetts avenue, and on the west by the Charles river.

DIST. 8. JOHN GRADY, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north by the Charles river and Massachusetts avenue, on the east by Washington street, on the south by Atherton and Mozart streets, Chestnut avenue, Sheridan and Centre streets, Hyde square, Perkins, Catalpa and Castleton streets, across Jamaicaway to the Brookline line, and on the west by the Brookline line, Beacon and Deerfield streets.

DIST. 9. EDWARD H. SAWYER, *Chief.* The territory bounded on the north by Massachusetts avenue, South bay, Dorset and Locust streets, on the east by Dorchester bay, on the south by Freeport, Hancock, Bowdoin and Quincy streets, Columbia road, and on the west by Seaver street, Columbus avenue and Washington street.

DIST. 10. W. A. GAYLORD, *Chief.* That part of Dorchester bounded on the north by Columbia road, Quincy, Bowdoin, Hancock and Freeport streets, on the east by Dorchester bay, on the south by the Neponset river and the Hyde Park line, and on the west by Harvard street and Blue Hill avenue.

DIST. 11. GEORGE F. GRIFFIN, *Chief.* All that part of Boston known as Brighton, and extending east as far as Deerfield and Beacon streets.

DIST. 12. L. P. ABBOTT, *Chief.* All that part of Boston known as West Roxbury, bounded on the north by a line from the Brookline line, across Jamaicaway to Castleton street, through Castleton, Catalpa and Perkins streets, Hyde square, Centre and Sheridan streets, Chestnut avenue, Mozart and Atherton streets, Columbus avenue and Seaver streets, on the east by Blue Hill avenue and Harvard street, on the south by the Hyde Park and Dedham lines, and on the west by the Newton and Brookline lines.

STEAM FIRE-ENGINES.

Number.	Location.	Officers.
1	Dorchester street, cor. Fourth, So. Boston.	Charles Ingersoll, Capt. M. P. Mitchell, Lieut.
2	Fourth street, cor. O, South Boston	J. H. Ewers, Capt.
3	Harrison avenue, cor. Bristol street	W. J. Gaffey, Capt. J. H. Kenney, Lieut.
4	Bulfinch street	P. Callahan, Capt. H. W. Adams, Lieut.
5	Marion street, East Boston	John Ready, Capt. Robert E. Bartlett, Capt.
6	Leverett street	J. F. O'Connell, Capt. M. R. Joy, Lieut.
7	East street	J. J. O'Connor, Capt. C. J. O'Brien, Lieut.
8	Salem street	R. A. Ritchie, Capt. W. M. McLean, Lieut.

STEAM FIRE-ENGINES. — *Concluded.*

Number.	Location.	Officers.
9	Paris street, East Boston	E. B. Smith, Capt. F. H. Smith, Lieut.
10	Mt. Vernon street, cor. River	M. C. Leonard, Capt. J. F. Gillen, Lieut.
11	Cor. Saratoga and Byron streets, E. B.	C. H. Leary, Capt.
12	Dudley street, Roxbury	B. McCarthy, Capt. J. N. Lally, Lieut.
13	Cabot street, Roxbury	Henry J. Hart, Capt. G. N. Dunn, Lieut.
14	Centre street, Roxbury	Daniel F. Sennott, Capt. Ed. F. Richardson, Lieut.
15	Cor. Broadway and Dorchester avenue	C. P. Smith, Capt. A. J. McDonald, Lieut.
16	Temple street, Dorchester	Edwin R. Merrill, Capt.
17	Meeting House Hill, Dorchester	Alexander Glover, Capt. G. H. Nichols, Lieut.
18	Harvard street, Dorchester	I. A. Williams, Capt. G. C. Hanes, Lieut.
19	Norfolk street, Dorchester	George F. Fenno, Capt.
20	Walnut street, Dorchester	J. M. Littleton, Capt.
21	Boston street, Dorchester	F. E. Hibbard, Capt. R. W. Adams, Lieut.
22	Dartmouth street	M. J. Mulligan, Capt. M. N. Hoar, Lieut.
23	Northampton street	M. Walsh, Capt. H. Sawyer, Lieut.
24	Cor. Warren and Quincy streets	James H. Le Favor, Capt. Geo. R. Bancroft, Lieut.
25	Fort Hill square	M. J. Kennedy, Capt. Henry A. Fox, Lieut.
26 and 35	Mason street	J. T. Byron, Capt. Martin J. Dunn, Lieut. George B. Norton, Lieut.
27	Elm street, Charlestown	G. F. Titus, Capt. B. F. Hayes, Lieut.
28	Centre street, West Roxbury	George B. Reiley, Capt.
29	Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton	Joseph M. Gargan, Capt.
30	Centre street, West Roxbury	James B. Prescott, Capt.
32[1]	Bunker Hill street, Charlestown	S. L. Low, Capt. E. D. Pope, Lieut.
33	Boylston street	R. E. Handy, Capt. J. E. Madison, Lieut.
34	Western avenue, Brighton	E. H. Whitney, Capt. H. P. Pitcher, Lieut.
36	Monument street, Charlestown	J. P. Dean, Capt.
37	Longwood avenue	H. D. Smith, Capt.
38 and 39	Congress street	S. J. Ryder, Capt. W. M. Lynch, Lieut. A. J. Caulfield, Lieut.
40	Sumner street, East Boston	J. H. Elliott, Capt. T. J. Lannery, Lieut.
41	Harvard avenue, Brighton	George W. Frost. Capt.
42	Egleston square	William Childs, Capt.
43	Andrew square, South Boston	George J. Wall, Capt.
44	Berth at India wharf, Fire-boat	B. F. Healey, Capt. I. Sparks, Lieut. P. F. Shaw, Engineer, with rank of Lieut.
45	Poplar street, West Roxbury	William Coulter, Capt.

[1] 31. Fire-boat (out of service).

LADDER TRUCKS.

No. 1. Warren square. A. R. Johnson, *Captain;* M. J. Lawler, *Lieutenant.*

No. 2. Paris street, East Boston. John W. Godbold, *Captain;* F. W. Battis, *Lieutenant.*

No. 3. Harrison avenue, corner of Bristol street. C. H. Webber, *Captain;* E. D. Locke, *Lieutenant.*

No. 4. Dudley street, Roxbury. J. P. McManus, *Captain;* M. J. Cronin, *Lieutenant.*

No. 5. Fourth street, near Dorchester street. E. A. Perkins, *Captain;* E. Connors, *Lieutenant.*

No. 6. Temple street, Dorchester. F. P. Stengel, *Lieutenant.*

No. 7. Meeting-House Hill, Dorchester. F. W. Webber, *Lieutenant.*

No. 8. Fort Hill square. J. S. Cleverly, *Captain;* T. M. McLaughlin, *Lieutenant.*

No. 9. Main street, Charlestown. Thomas W. Conway, *Captain.*

No. 10. Centre street, Jamaica Plain. T. B. Flannagan, *Lieutenant.*

No. 11. Chestnut Hill avenue, Brighton. Peter Murphy, *Lieutenant.*

No. 12. Tremont street, Roxbury. James P. Bowles, *Captain;* D. McLean, *Lieutenant.*

No. 13. Washington street, near Dover street. J. O. Taber, *Lieutenant.*

No. 14. Fort Hill square. P. W. Lanigan, *Lieutenant.*

No. 15. Boylston and Hereford streets. Casper H. Moning, *Captain;* F. M. O'Lalor, *Lieutenant.*

No. 16. Poplar street, West Roxbury. T. P. Lally, *Lieutenant.*

No. 17. Harrison avenue. Charles T. Adams, *Captain;* E. J. Shallow, *Lieutenant.*

CHEMICAL ENGINES.

No. 1. Bulfinch street. P. E. Walsh, *Lieutenant.*

No. 2. Church street. C. W. Conway, *Lieutenant.*

No. 3. Longwood avenue. T. H. Weltch, *Lieutenant.*

No. 4. Shawmut avenue. W. P. Marshall, *Lieutenant.*

No. 5. Egleston square. M. Heffernan, *Lieutenant.*

No. 6. Harvard avenue, near Cambridge street, Brighton. P. G. Flynn, *Lieutenant.*

No. 7. Chelsea street, East Boston. John Neal, *Lieutenant.*

No. 8. B street, South Boston. J. J. Flanagan, *Lieutenant.*

No. 9. Main street, Charlestown. John E. Cassidy, *Lieutenant.*

No. 10. Eustis street, Roxbury. Joseph Smith, *Lieutenant.*

No. 11. North Grove street. John I. Quigley, *Captain.*

No. 12. Tremont street, Roxbury, in charge of Ladder 12.

OTHER APPARATUS.

Combination Company No. 1. Dorchester avenue, Ashmont. S. F. Ridler, *Lieutenant.*

Combination Company No. 2. Fourth street, near K street, South Boston, J. W. Murphy, *Lieutenant.*

Combination Company No. 3. Andrew square, South Boston. M. Norton, *Lieutenant.*

Combination Company No. 4. Corner Saratoga and Byron streets, East Boston. E. J. McKendrew, *Lieutenant.*

Combination Company No. 5. Monument street, Charlestown. T. H. Ramsay, *Lieutenant.*

Combination Company No. 6. Grove Hall, Dorchester. (*Not yet in service.*)

Combination Company No. 7. Winthrop street, Charlestown. J. F. Hines, *Lieutenant.*

Water tower No. 1. Bulfinch street. W. J. Ryan, *Lieutenant.*

Water tower No. 2. Fire headquarters, Bristol street. A. J. Porter. *Lieutenant.*

Wrecking wagon. Fire headquarters, Bristol street.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, second floor.

[Stat. 1854, Chap. 448, § 40; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 19; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 18.]

BOARD OF HEALTH.

SAMUEL H. DURGIN, M.D., *Chairman.*
CHARLES E. DAVIS, JR., *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

GEORGE F. BABBITT. Term ends in 1900. Salary, $4,000.
SAMUEL H. DURGIN, M.D. Term ends in 1899. Salary, $4,500.
EDWIN L. PILSBURY. Term ends in 1898. Salary, $4,000.

The first Board of Health in Boston was established in 1799, under the special statute of February 13, 1799. The first collected edition of the statutes under which this Board acted was published in 1811, and contained also the regulations of the Board. That Board had in substance the same powers as the present Board of Health, and was abolished by the first city charter. From 1822 to 1873 the functions of the Board were exercised through the City Council. The present Board of Health was established by an ordinance of December 2, 1872, and organized January 15, 1873. It has published annual reports since 1873.

MORTON PRINCE, M.D., *Assistant City Physician.*

THOMAS B. SHEA, M.D., DAVID D. BROUGH, M.D., *Medical Inspectors.* Office, Room No. 11, Old Court House.

GEORGE A. SARGENT, M.D., *Medical Inspector.* Office, City Building, Chardon street.

ALEXANDER BURR, M.D.V., *Health Inspector for the Inspection of Provisions and Animals.* Office, Room No. 11, Old Court House.

JOHN C. GROUSE, *Health Inspectbr for the Inspection of Provisions.* Office, Room No. 11, Old Court House.

CHARLES HARRINGTON, M.D., *Health Inspector for the Inspection of Milk and Vinegar.* Office, 994 Washington street.

HIBBERT W. HILL, M.D., *Director of Bacteriological Laboratory.* Office, Sudbury Building.

PAUL CARSON, M.D., *Port Physician;* WILLIAM H. GREEN, M.D., *Assistant Port Physician.* Resident at Deer Island.

JOHN MCLOUGHLIN, *Superintendent of Pedlers.* Office, City Stables, North Grove street.

QUARANTINE GROUNDS.

The Quarantine Grounds comprise that part of Boston harbor known as the President Roads, lying between Long, Deer and Spectacle Islands. The steamer "Vigilant," George T. Ranlett, *Captain*, employed in the quarantine service, is subject to the orders of the Board of Health.

MEDICAL INSPECTORS OF SCHOOLS.

J. L. Ames, M.D., 72 Chestnut street, Brimmer School, Kindergarten, Parochial, Fayette-street School.

H. D. Arnold, M.D., 188 Warren street, Roxbury High School, Lewis Grammar School; Primary, Quincy street; Primary, Monroe street; Primary, Winthrop street.

S. H. Ayer, M.D., 318 Shawmut avenue, Franklin, Waite, Cook, Parochial Cathedral, German Parochial.

W. B. Bancroft, M.D., 597 Broadway, Hart, Capen, Bird, Parochial.

F. E. Bateman, M.D., 372 Main street, Harvard.

J. P. Broidrick, M.D., 67 South street, J. P., West Roxbury High, Creighton street, Leo XIII. Parochial.

J. S. Brownrigg, M.D., 16 Delle avenue, Parochial, Kindergarten.

W. S. Boardman, M.D., 57 Hancock street, Eliot, Ware, Freeman, Parmenter.

J. E. Butler, M.D., 310 Warren street, George Putnam, St. Joseph Parochial, St. Francis Parochial.

A. B. Coffin, M.D., 555 Washington street, Dorchester High, school in store on Washington street, Gibson on School street, Gibson on Morse street, Atherton, Glenway Primary, Glenway Kindergarten.

R. M. Cole, M.D., 456 Broadway, Shurtleff, Lincoln.

D. A. Collins, M.D., 11 Parmenter street, St. Mary's Parochial, St. Stephen's Parochial, Moon-street Public.

G. A. Craigin, M.D., 405 Marlborough street, Hancock.

J. T. Cutler, M.D., 624 Warren street, Edward Everett, Harbor View, Savin Hill.

J. W. Dewis, M.D., 579 Tremont street, Mt. Pleasant avenue, Yeoman street, Dearborn, Eustis street.

J. R. Draper, M.D., 512 Broadway, Gaston, Tuckerman, Pope, Kindergarten.

John Duff, M.D., 5 Dexter row, Warren.

D. G. Eldredge, M.D., 15 Monadnock street, Mather, Quincy-street Primary.

Theo. C. Erb, M.D., 551 Columbus avenue, Everett, Dwight, Rutland, Concord, Joshua Bates.

C. A. Ewald, M.D., 94 Charles street, Wells, Winchell, Poplar street, North Russell street, Chambers-street Primary, Chambers-street Kindergarten.

Wm. H. Ensworth, M.D., 7 Chelsea street, E. B., Adams.

Wm. E. Fay, M.D., 571 Tremont street, Hyde, Sherwin, Leon-street Branch, Parker-street Branch, Day Nursery.

Wm. H. Grainger, M.D., 408 Meridian street, Chapman, Tappan, Parochial.

E. M. Greene, M.D., 49 Hancock street, Bowdoin, Somerset, Sharp, Phillips, Grant, Baldwin on Chardon street.

J. S. Greene, M.D., 1107 Washington street, Dor., Gilbert Stuart, Morton-street Primary, Stoughton, Tileston, Adams-street Primary.

F. A. Higgins, M.D., 22 Marlborough street, Quincy, Winthrop, Primary, Way street; Primary, Genesee street; Primary, Tyler street; Dennison Kindergarten.

E. M. Holden, M.D., 203 Huntington avenue, Comins, Martin.

F. C. Jillson, M.D., Hastings street, W. Rox., Robert G. Shaw, Mt. Vernon street, Baker street.

A. S. Knight, M.D., 295 Beacon street, Frothingham.

J. S. H. Leard, M.D., 16 Weld Hill street, Agassiz, Forest Hills Primary, Margaret Fuller Primary, Bowditch, Hillside Primary, Chestnut avenue.

Wm. J. McNally, M.D., 31 Monument square, Prescott, Medford-street Primary, Polk-street Primary.

R. M. Merrick, M.D., 15 Adams street, Harris School, Dorchester-avenue Primary, Henry L. Pierce, Thetford-avenue Primary, Lauriat-avenue Kindergarten.

H. E. Marion, M.D., 5 Sparhawk street, Brighton High, Bennett Grammar and Annex, Winship Primary, Union-street Primary and Kindergarten.

O. H. Marion, M.D., 22 Harvard avenue, Harvard, Everett, Allston, Webster.

G. P. Morris, M.D., 599 Broadway, Andrew Ticknor, Roger Clapp.

T. J. Murphy, M.D., 372 Dudley street, Hugh O'Brien, George-street Primary, Howard avenue, St. Patrick's Parochial.

J. F. O'Brien, M.D., 401 Bunker Hill street, Bunker Hill Grammar, Parochial.

E. F. O'Shea, M.D., 5 Chelsea street, E. B., Lyman, High, Cudworth, Fitton.

H. L. Plummer, M.D., 696 Saratoga street, Emerson.

J. C. D. Pigeon, M.D., 130 Warren street, Dudley, Dillaway.

H. S. Rowen, M.D., 237 Market street, Bennett, Oak-square Primary, Warren Grammar, Faneuil Primary, St. Joseph's Academy, Allston, Auburn Primary.

J. H. Sherman, M.D., 534 Broadway, Bigelow, Hawes, Simonds.

C. M. Smith, M.D., 15 Charles street, Horace Mann, Prince, Perkins.

Henry B. Stevens, M.D., Roslindale, Longfellow, Charles Sumner.

F. W. Stuart, M.D., 550 Broadway, Norcross, Cyrus Alger, Drake.

W. F. Temple, M.D., 240 Huntington avenue, Rice, Boys' Latin, Boys' High, Girls' Latin, Girls' High.

E. A. Tracy, M.D., 99 Broadway, Lawrence, Mather, Howe, Parochial.

A. H. Tompkins, M.D., 20 Seaverns avenue, J. P., Lowell.

E. T. Twitchell, M.D., 35 Alban street, Minot, Bailey-street Primary, Henry L. Pierce.

DIPHTHERIA CULTURE STATIONS.

For the convenience of physicians, boxes containing culture tubes may be obtained of the following apothecaries:

B. F. Stacey, 4 Thompson square, Charlestown.

G. H. Alexander, 100 Dorchester street, South Boston.

A. H. Copley, 45 Hancock street, Dorchester.

C. B. Rogers & Co., 701 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

I. P. Gammon, 150 Dudley street, Roxbury.

S. A. D. Shepard & Co., 1129 Washington street, city.

A. W. Tilton, 71 Prince street, city.

G. B. Squire, 65 Cambridge street, city.

Henry Canning, 57 Chambers street, city.

R. H. Billings, 1439 Dorchester avenue, Dorchester.

W. D. Wheeler, cor. Massachusetts avenue and Beacon street, city.

W. D. Wheeler, 393 Cambridge street, Allston.

Fred W. Archer, Washington street, Milton Lower Mills.

S. T. Jeffers, 728 South street, Roslindale.

C. J. Countie & Co., 23 Charles street, city.

F. B. Washburn, 281 Centre street, Jamaica Plain.

F. W. Moore, 377 Cambridge street, Brighton.

G. W. Warren, 343 Washington street, Brighton.

T. T. Reed, 3101 Washington street, Egleston square.

F. O. Swallow, Centre street, West Roxbury.

F. M. Loring, 122 Harvard street, Dorchester.

Frank S. Colley, 610 Tremont street, city.

Clark & Mahoney, 77 Saratoga street, East Boston.

Theodore Metcalf, 39 Tremont street, city.

Theodore Metcalf, Copley square, city.

Bacteriological Laboratory, 607 Sudbury Building, cor. Hawkins and Sudbury streets.

Connolly & Davis, 1436 Dorchester avenue, 764 Washington street, Dorchester, and 764 Walnut street, Neponset.

MORGUE.

The City Morgue is located on North Grove street. F. L. Briggs, *Superintendent.* Salary, $360.

HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

Office at Boston City Hospital, Harrison Avenue.

[Stat. 1880, Chap. 174; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 19; Stat. 1893, Chap. 91.]

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

A. Shuman, *President.*
Conrad J. Rueter, *Secretary.*

TRUSTEES.

Conrad J. Rueter. Term ends in 1903.
Francis J. Keany, M.D. Term ends in 1902.
Lamont G. Burnham. Term ends in 1901.
A. Shuman. Term ends in 1900.
Henry H. Sprague. Term ends in 1899.

The Trustees have charge of The Boston City Hospital, on the south-east side of Harrison avenue, opposite Worcester square, occupying four city squares between East Concord street, Albany street, Northampton street and Harrison avenue. The hospital was begun September 9, 1861. It consists of many pavilions, connected with the central structure. This hospital was established for the reception of those in need of temporary relief during illness or from injuries. The Trustees also have charge of the South Department for infectious diseases, and the Convalescent Home, at 2150 Dorchester avenue, Milton Lower Mills.

The Trustees are incorporated by Chap. 174 of the Acts of 1880, and Chap. 91 of the Acts of 1893, as The Boston City Hospital, and are authorized to receive and hold real and personal estate bequeathed or devised to said corporation to an amount not exceeding $1,000,000.

HOSPITAL OFFICERS.

George H. M. Rowe, M.D. *Superintendent and Resident Physician.* Residence and office in the hospital. Salary, $4,000.
Charles G. Dewey, M.D. — *Assistant Superintendent.*
Theron H. Carter, M.D. — *First Executive Assistant.*
Charles S. Knight, M.D. — *Second Executive Assistant.*

MEDICAL AND SURGICAL STAFF.

Consulting Physicians and Surgeons. — Alexander D. Sinclair, M.D., William Ingalls, M.D.

Visiting Physicians. — A. L. Mason, M.D., George B. Shattuck, M.D., Charles F. Folsom, M.D., E. M. Buckingham, M.D., F. H. Williams, M.D., C. F. Withington, M.D.

Assistant Visiting Physicians. — Vincent Y. Bowditch, M.D., Henry Jackson, M.D., George G. Sears, M.D.

Physicians to Out-Patients. — John L. Morse, M.D., John L. Ames, M.D., Benjamin Tenney, M.D., H. D. Arnold, M.D.

Senior Surgeon. — David W. Cheever, M.D.

Senior Visiting Surgeons. — George W. Gay, M.D., William P. Bolles, M.D., Abner Post, M.D.

Junior Visiting Surgeons. — M. F. Gavin, M.D., H. L. Burrell, M.D., Francis S. Watson, M.D.

First Assistant Visiting Surgeons. — H. W. Cushing, M.D., George H. Monks, M.D., R. W. Lovett, M.D.

Second Assistant Visiting Surgeons. — John C. Munro, M.D., Paul Thorndike, M.D., Edwin W. Dwight, M.D.

Third Assistant Visiting Surgeons. — J. Bapst Blake, M.D., Fred B. Lund, M.D., Edward H. Nichols, M.D.

Fourth Assistant Visiting Surgeon. — James A. Mahon, M.D.

Senior Visiting Physician for Diseases of Women. — John G. Blake, M.D.

Junior Visiting Physician for Diseases of Women. — C. M. Green, M.D.

First Assistant Visiting Physician for Diseases of Women. — George Haven, M.D.

Second Assistant Visiting Physician for Diseases of Women. — Edward Reynolds, M.D.

Third Assistant Visiting Physician for Diseases of Women. — Frank A. Higgins, M.D.

Visiting Ophthalmic Surgeon. — Oliver F. Wadsworth, M.D.

Ophthalmic Surgeons. — Edwin E. Jack, M.D., Walter B. Lancaster, M.D., John C. Bossidy, M.D.

Assistants to the Ophthalmic Surgeons. — William J. Daly, M.D., Charles F. Moulton, M.D.

Visiting Aural Surgeon. — J. Orne Green, M.D.

Aural Surgeons. — George A. Leland, M.D., Ernest E. Doble, M.D.

Assistant to the Aural Surgeons. — Edgar M. Holmes, M.D.

Physicians for Diseases of the Throat. — Thomas Amory DeBlois, M.D., J. W. Farlow, M.D. *Assistants.* — George A. Leland, M.D., Rockwell A. Coffin, M.D.

Physicians for Diseases of the Nervous System.—Morton Prince, M.D., Philip Coombs Knapp, M.D., William N. Bullard, M.D. *Assistants.* — John J. Thomas, M.D., Joseph W. Courtney, M.D.

Physicians for Diseases of the Skin. — James S. Howe, M.D., George F. Harding, M.D.

Assistant. — Harvey P. Towle, M.D.

Visiting Pathologist. — W. T. Councilman, M.D.

Assistant Visiting Pathologist. — F. B. Mallory, M.D.
First Assistant in Pathology. — Richard M. Pearce, M.D.
Second Assistant in Pathology. — Joseph H. Pratt, M.D.
Assistant in Clinical Pathology. — J. Bergen Ogden, M.D.
Medico-Legal Pathologist. — F. W. Draper, M.D.
Medical Registrar. — A. S. Knight, M.D.
Surgical Registrar. — Vacant.

SOUTH DEPARTMENT.

Resident Physician. — John H. McCollom, M.D.
Assistant Resident Physicians. — David N. Blakely, M.D., Fred G. Burrows, M.D.
Physicians to the Convalescent Home. — C. Ellery Stedman, M.D., Daniel D. Gilbert, M.D., Edward T. Twichell, M.D.

INSANE HOSPITAL DEPARTMENT.

[Stat. 1897, Chap. 451; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 20.]

INSANE HOSPITAL TRUSTEES.

HENRY C. BALDWIN, M.D., *Chairman.*
PHILIP COOMBS KNAPP, M.D., *Secretary.*

TRUSTEES.

HENRY C. BALDWIN, M.D. Term ends in 1902.
PHILIP COOMBS KNAPP, M.D. Term ends in 1901.
MRS. HERBERT B. HOWARD. Term ends in 1901.
C. J. CONNOLLY. Term ends in 1900.
GEORGE A. SANDERSON. Term ends in 1899.
MRS. HORACE E. MARION. Term ends in 1899.
JOHN P. LEAHY. Term ends in 1898.

EDWARD B. LANE, M.D. Salary, $2,500. *Superintendent.*
WILLIAM NOYES, M.D. Salary, $2,000. *Associate Superintendent.*

The Trustees have charge and control of the Boston Insane Hospital at West Roxbury, and purchase all fuel and other supplies required for that institution.

INSTITUTIONS REGISTRATION DEPARTMENT.

Office, 28 Court Square.

[Stat. 1897, Chap. 395, § 6; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 21.]

ERNEST C. MARSHALL, *Institutions Registrar, pro tempore.*

It is the duty of the Institutions Registrar to investigate all questions relating to the settlement of paupers, to the commitment of the insane,

to the agency for discharged prisoners, or to any rights, duties or liabilities connected therewith; to report the results of his investigations to the department interested therein, and perform such services relating to the accounts, and to the collection, registration and tabulation of statistics relating to the Children's Institutions Department, the Insane Hospital Department, the Pauper Institutions Department, and the Penal Institutions Department, or any of them, as may be required of him by the Mayor, or by the officer or trustees in charge of such departments, with the approval of the Mayor.

LAMP DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, fifth floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 22.]

JAMES DONOVAN, *Superintendent of Lamps;* appointed annually. Salary, $3,500.

The department was first legalized by statute on June 29, 1773. The office of Superintendent of Lamps has existed since the year 1843, though it was first formally established by ordinance on October 26, 1869. The department was separated from that of the police in 1854. Annual reports of the department have been published since 1870.

The public lamps are distributed in the various sections of the city as follows:

	Gas Lamps.	Electric Arc Lights.	Naphtha Lamps.	Incandescent Lights.	Fire Alarm Lamps.	Total.
City Proper	1,660	907	102		65	2,734
Roxbury	1,548	464		7		2,019
Dorchester	1,887	276	844			3,007
West Roxbury	1,023	251	1,064			2,338
South Boston	463	272	319	7		1,061
Charlestown	507	185				692
East Boston	413	184	141			738
Brighton	600	196	176	14		986
Chelsea	2					2
Totals	8,103	2,735	2,646	28	65	13,577

LAW DEPARTMENT.

Office, 73 Tremont Street.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 23.]

ANDREW J. BAILEY, *Corporation Counsel.* Appointed annually. Salary, $7,500.

THOMAS M. BABSON, *City Solicitor.* Appointed annually. Salary, $7,500.

JOHN T. WHEELWRIGHT, *Assistant Counsel.* Salary, $4,300.

SAMUEL H. HUDSON, *Assistant Solicitor.* Salary, $4,300.

SAMUEL M. CHILD, *Assistant Solicitor.* Salary, $2,800.

THOMAS A. MULLEN, *Assistant Solicitor.* Salary, $2,500.

PHILLIP NICHOLS, *Assistant Solicitor.* Salary, $500.

CHARLES F. DAY and ROSCOE P. OWEN, *City Conveyancers.* Salaries, $3,500 each.

FISHER AMES, *Secretary.* Salary, $2,000.

The office of "Attorney and Solicitor for the City of Boston" was established by the ordinance of June 18, 1827; the office of Corporation Counsel and the office of City Solicitor by the ordinance of March 30, 1881. The department is under the charge of the Corporation Counsel and the City Solicitor jointly.

LIBRARY DEPARTMENT.

Office, Central Library Building, Copley Square.

[Stat. 1878, Chap. 114; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 24.]

FREDERICK O. PRINCE, *President.*

SOLOMON LINCOLN, *Vice-President.*

HERBERT PUTNAM, *Librarian and Clerk of the Corporation.* Salary, $6,000.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

HENRY P. BOWDITCH. Term ends in 1902.

SOLOMON LINCOLN. Term ends in 1901.

JAMES DE NORMANDIE. Term ends in 1900.

JOSIAH H. BENTON, JR. Term ends in 1899.

FREDERICK O. PRINCE. Term ends in 1898.

The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, who are five in number, are appointed by the Mayor, one each year, for a term of five years. They were incorporated by an act of the General Court passed April 4, 1878, and are authorized to receive and hold real and personal estate which may be given, granted, bequeathed or devised to the said corpora-

tion, to an amount not exceeding $1,000,000. The first Trustees were appointed under an ordinance of October 14, 1852. The old Library Building on Boylston street was opened to the public in September, 1858, and closed finally in January, 1895. The new Library Building on Copley square was first opened on March 11, 1895. The Library is maintained by an annual appropriation voted out of the general funds of the city by the City Council, about $25,000 of which is used annually for the purchase of books. The Library also holds trust funds aggregating $265,000, the interest of which is devoted to the purchase of books.

The annual reports, the first of which appeared in 1852, have been continued without interruption.

Of the Quarterly Bulletins, which were begun in 1867, fourteen volumes have been published. The series closed in 1896.

A Monthly Bulletin is now issued. The trustees have issued also general and special catalogues of the Central Library, and of its branches and special collections, as well as hand-books for readers, and other documents.

LIBRARY SYSTEM.

The Library system consists of the Central Library in Copley square; ten branch libraries with independent collections of books; seventeen stations, of which eleven contain deposits of books from the Central Library, five contain deposits, reference books and periodicals and are classed as reading-rooms, and one is a delivery station. Excluding the seventeen stations, there were, on February 1, 1898, in the Central Library and Branches, including the evening and Sunday service, 269 employees.

Between the Central Library and these twenty-seven stations, by Library wagons and local expresses, there is a daily exchange of books and cards, whereby persons living in outlying districts can draw books from the Central Library without the necessity of coming in person.

The delivery or deposit of books is also undertaken in five schools, three reformatory institutions and twenty-two fire-company houses.

Cards allowing the use of two books without restriction as to class, for two weeks, are issued to all residents of Boston over twelve years of age, with no further attendant delay than is involved in identification. No guaranty is asked, except in case of a sojourner. For reading and reference the Library is open to all without formality. Special cards for more extended privileges are issued to clergymen officiating in the city, and to teachers giving instruction in Boston institutions of learning; a special card is also issued in certain cases by the Trustees. On February 1, 1898, there were 64,973 card-holders having the right to draw books for home use. The total number of volumes was 698,888; of periodicals currently received, 1,925. Books issued in 1897 for home use, 1,199,658; of reference use, on account of the freedom with which books may be consulted, no adequate statistics are kept.

CENTRAL LIBRARY, COPLEY SQUARE.

Lending and reference, 528,079 volumes.
Periodical reading-rooms, 1,276 periodicals.
Newspaper reading-room, 319 current newspapers.
Patent Library, 6,287 volumes.

BATES HALL, FOR READING AND REFERENCE. Some 8,000 volumes are on open shelves. The Fine Arts Department, exhibition room, has facilities for copying, a collection of photographs of architecture, sculpture and painting, numbering about 10,000, besides illustrated books, portfolios, etc. Special assistance is offered to classes, travel clubs, etc. Room for younger readers has some 5,000 volumes on open shelves, for reading and circulation. Bindery has 17 employees, Printing Department has 5 employees.

Open from 9 A.M. to 10 P.M.; Sundays from 2 to 10 P.M. Closed at 9 P.M. during June, July, August and September.

BRANCH LIBRARIES AND DELIVERY STATIONS.

The Branch Libraries are open on week days from 9 A.M. to 8 P.M., Saturdays to 9 P.M. During June, July and August they are closed at 6 P.M., except Saturdays.

BRIGHTON BRANCH, 17,076 volumes. Reading-room, 51 periodicals. Holton Library Building, Rockland street.

CHARLESTOWN BRANCH, 29,861 volumes. Reading-room 65 periodicals. Old City Hall, City square.

DORCHESTER BRANCH, 16,815 volumes. Reading-room, 50 periodicals. Arcadia, corner Adams street.

EAST BOSTON BRANCH, 13,292 volumes. Reading-room 49 periodicals. Old Lyman School Building, 37 Meridian street.

JAMAICA PLAIN BRANCH, 13,782 volumes. Reading-room, 51 periodicals. Curtis Hall, Centre street.

ROXBURY BRANCH, 33,551 volumes. Reading-room, 62 periodicals, 46 Millmont street.

SOUTH BOSTON BRANCH, 14,799 volumes. Reading-room, 64 periodicals. 372 West Broadway.

SOUTH END BRANCH, 14,592 volumes. Reading-room, 43 periodicals. English High School Building, Montgomery street.

WEST END BRANCH, 10,359 volumes. Reading-room, 80 periodicals. Cambridge, corner Lynde street.

WEST ROXBURY BRANCH AND DELIVERY. 8 to 10 A.M., 3 to 6 P.M. 4,153 volumes. Reading-room, 20 periodicals. Centre, near Mt. Vernon street.

Station A. Lower Mills Reading-room. 8 to 9 A.M., 4 to 8 P.M. Closed from 6 to 7, except Thursdays. 88 volumes. Reading-room, 24 periodicals. Washington, near River street.

Station B. Roslindale Delivery. All day. 25 Poplar street.

Station D. Mattapan Reading-room. 8 to 10 A.M., 3 to 9 P.M. Closed from 6 to 7. 98 volumes. Reading-room, 29 periodicals. River, corner Oakland street.

Station E. Neponset Delivery. All day. 49 Walnut street.

Station F. Mt. Bowdoin Delivery and Reading-room. 3 to 9 P.M. Closed from 6 to 7 P.M. 976 volumes. Reading-room, 28 periodicals. Washington, corner Eldon street.

Station G. Allston Delivery. All day. Closed from 12 to 1. 14 Franklin street.

Station H. Ashmont Delivery. All day. 4 Talbot avenue.

Station J. Dorchester Station Delivery. All day. 1 Milton avenue.

Station K. Bird Street Delivery. All day. 6 Wayland street.

Station L. North Brighton Reading-room. 4 to 8 P.M. 67 volumes. Reading-room, 33 periodicals. 535 Western avenue.

Station M. Crescent Avenue Delivery. All day. 940 Dorchester avenue.

Station N. Blue Hill Avenue Delivery. All day. 200 Blue Hill avenue.

Station P. Broadway Extension Delivery. 8 to 9.30 A.M., 4 to 9 P.M. Closed from 6 to 7 P.M. 1,292 volumes. 37 Broadway Extension.

Station Q. Upham's Corner Delivery. All day. Saturday, to 10 P.M. 756 Dudley street.

Station R. Warren Street Delivery. All day. 329 Warren street.

Station S. Roxbury Crossing Delivery. 2 to 6 and 7 to 9 P.M. 1173 Tremont street.

Station T. Boylston Delivery. All day. Lamartine, corner of Paul Gore street.

MARKET DEPARTMENT.

Office, Faneuil Hall Market.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 25 and Chap. 47, §§ 60–65.]

George E. McKay, *Superintendent of Markets.* Salary, $3,000.

Faneuil Hall Market, proposed in Mayor Quincy's message of July 31, 1823, and completed in 1826, was under the charge of a clerk of the Market, until an ordinance of September 9, 1852, established the office of Superintendent.

MUSIC DEPARTMENT.

Office, 64 Pemberton Square.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 26.]

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

CARL ZERRAHN, *Chairman.*
JOHN A. O'SHEA, *Vice-Chairman.*
MICHAEL J. DWYER, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

CARL ZERRAHN. Term ends in 1903.
JOHN A. O'SHEA. Term ends in 1902.
J. THOMAS BALDWIN. Term ends in 1901.
JAMES M. MCLAUGHLIN. Term ends in 1900.
ALFRED DE VOTO. Term ends in 1899.

The Music Department was established by ordinance April 23, 1898. It is placed in charge of a Board of five Commissioners, known as the Music Commissioners. The Board is given charge and control of the selection of public music, to be given either indoors or in the open air, for parades, concerts, public celebrations and other purposes under the authority of the City Council, except entertainments for children on the Fourth of July. It determines the parties to furnish the same, makes the contracts and expends all moneys to be paid from the city treasury for such music.

OVERSEEING OF THE POOR DEPARTMENT.

Office, Charity Building, Chardon Street.

[Stat. 1864, Chap. 128; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 27.]

OVERSEERS OF THE POOR.

WILLIAM P. FOWLER, *Chairman.*
BENJAMIN PETTEE, *Secretary.* Salary, $3,500.

Terms end in 1901.

WILLIAM P. FOWLER, FREDERICK W. DAY,
THOMAS SPROULES, EDITH P. WOLCOTT.

Terms end in 1900.

RICHARD C. HUMPHREYS, MATTHEW J. MULLEN,
ANNETTE P. ROGERS, FREDERICK W. STUART.

Terms end in 1899.

ISAAC T. CAMPBELL, MICHAEL A. KERRIGAN,
LOUISE S. O'BRIEN, RACHEL E. S. THORNDIKE.

_____ _____ *Treasurer.* Salary, $1,000.

The Overseers of the Poor in the Town of Boston, a corporation established in 1772, by act of the Legislature, in 1864, were succeeded by the corporation called the "Overseers of the Poor in the City of Boston," consisting of twelve residents of Boston, four of whom are appointed annually within sixty days from the first Monday in February, to serve for the term of three years from the first day of May. The Board has issued annual reports since 1865.

The Overseers of the Poor are also incorporated as a Board of Trustees of John Boylston's and other charitable funds, left for the assistance of persons of good character and advanced age "who have been reduced by misfortune to indigence and want."

A Lodge for Wayfarers who apply at station-houses for accommodations has been established in Hawkins street, where work of some kind is exacted as the equivalent for food and shelter.

PARK DEPARTMENT.

Office, Pine Bank, Jamaica Park, Jamaica Plain.

[Stat. 1875, Chap. 185; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 28.]

BOARD OF PARK COMMISSIONERS.

Charles E. Stratton, *Chairman.*
George F. Clarke, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

Laban Pratt. Term ends in 1900.
Charles E. Stratton. Term ends in 1899.
John T. Wheelwright, appointed by the Mayor to serve temporarily in place of Edward C. Hodges, resigned.
John A. Pettigrew, *Superintendent.*

Power to establish parks in this city was granted by the Commonwealth on May 6, 1875, subject to acceptance by the people. This act was accepted by a vote of the citizens on June 9, 1875. Yeas, 3,706; nays, 2,311. The first Board of Park Commissioners was appointed on July 8, 1875, and confirmed on July 15, 1875.

PUBLIC PARKS.

Commonwealth Avenue	30	acres
Back Bay Fens	115	"
Riverway	40	"
Leverett Park	60	"
Jamaica Park	120	"
Arborway	36	"
Arnold Arboretum and Bussey Park	223	"
West Roxbury Parkway	150	"

Franklin Park	527 acres
Dorchesterway	6 "
Strandway, land and flats	260 "
Marine Park (including Castle Island), land and flats	288 "
Wood Island Park, land and flats	211 "
Charlesbank	10 "
Trinity Triangle	5,410 sq. ft.
Charlestown Heights	10 acres
Charlestown Playground	18 "
Dorchester Park	26 "
Franklin Field	77 "
North End Beach and Copp's Hill Terraces	7 "
North Brighton Playground	14 "
Neponset Playground	18 "
Billings Field	11 "
First-street Playground	4.6 "
Freeport-street Triangle	6,263 sq. ft.
North End Playground	11,384 "
Mystic Playground	2.3 acres
Fellows-street Playground	36,955 sq. ft.
Christopher Gibson Playground	5.8 acres

The total cost for park purposes to January 31, 1898, is $14,662,792.95, expended as follows: For land, $6,490,679.01; for construction, $8,158,757.84; for betterment expenses, $13,356.10.

The Arnold Arboretum contained originally 122.6 acres belonging to Harvard University. This, together with other land, was taken by the Park Commissioners for a public park, and 122 acres were leased to the University, under perpetual lease, to be used only for the purposes of an arboretum, under the trust created by the wills of Benjamin Bussey and James Arnold. The Arnold Arboretum was enlarged in 1895 by the addition of about 68 acres of the Bussey land on Peters' Hill, belonging to Harvard College, and the name Bussey Park was added to the title. All the land in this tract not needed for driveways, a quarry reservation and traffic road, was leased to Harvard College as a part of the Arboretum. The Arboretum is open to visitors daily from 7 A.M. until sunset. The Park Commissioners have charge also of Commonwealth avenue, between Arlington and Beacon streets, and the following-named bridges, statues and fountains which are in the public parks:

BRIDGES.

THE FENS.

AGASSIZ, carrying Agassiz road over the Fens water.
BOYLSTON, carrying Boylston road over outlet of the Fens.
CHARLESGATE, over Boston and Albany Railroad, and Ipswich street.
COMMONWEALTH AVENUE, over outlet of the Fens.
FEN, over outlet of Muddy river.
STONY BROOK, over outlet of Stony brook.

RIVERWAY.

AUDUBON, over Newton circuit of Boston and Albany Railroad.
[1] BELLEVUE, over Muddy river from Bellevue street.
BRIDLE PATH, carrying the ride over Muddy river, near Audubon road.
BROOKLINE AVENUE, over Muddy river.
CHAPEL ARCH, carrying walk over ride, near Bernier street.
CHAPEL BRIDGE, over Muddy river.
LONGWOOD AVENUE, over Muddy river.
[1] TREMONT STREET, over Muddy river.

LEVERETT PARK.

FOOT-BRIDGES, at Leverett pond and over outlets of Willow pond and Ward's pond.

ARBORWAY.

RAILROAD VIADUCT, near Forest Hills.
STONY BROOK, temporary bridge over Stony brook.

FRANKLIN PARK.

ELLICOTT ARCH, carrying walk under Circuit drive.
FOREST HILLS, entrance to Franklin park over traffic road.
SCARBORO, carrying the Circuit drive over Scarboro pond.
SCARBORO POND, foot-bridge carrying the walk over Scarboro pond.

MARINE PARK.

[1] CASTLE ISLAND, temporary bridge to Castle Island.

WOOD ISLAND PARK.

NEPTUNE, carrying Neptune road over Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad.

STATUES AND FOUNTAINS.

COMMONWEALTH AVENUE.

Alexander Hamilton.
William Lloyd Garrison.
General Glover.
Leif Ericson.

BACK BAY FENS.

John Boyle O'Reilly.

JAMAICA PARK.

Fountain on the terrace at Pine Bank.

MARINE PARK.

Admiral Farragut.

[1] The department constructed and maintains the parts of these bridges within the city limits.

PAUPER INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Office, 28 Court Square.

[Stat. 1897, Chap. 395, § 4; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 29.]

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

WILLIAM T. SEDGWICK, *Chairman.*
MRS. R. C. LINCOLN, *Secretary.*

TRUSTEES.

WALTER HUNNEWELL. Term ends in 1903.
WILLIAM T. SEDGWICK. Term ends in 1902.
MRS. R. C. LINCOLN. Term ends in 1901.
WILLIAM H. GRAINGER, M.D. Term ends in 1901.
WILLIAM L. RUTAN. Term ends in 1900.
MISS FRANCES R. MORSE. Term ends in 1899.
MRS. JOSEPH D. FALLON. Term ends in 1899.

The trustees have charge and control of the almshouse and hospital at Long Island and the almshouse at Charlestown, and purchase all fuel and other supplies for those institutions.

PENAL INSTITUTIONS DEPARTMENT.

Office, 82 Tremont Street.

[Stat. 1889, Chap. 245; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, §§ 14–16; Stat. 1897, Chap. 395, § 5; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 30.]

ERNEST C. MARSHALL, *Penal Institutions Commissioner.* Term ends in 1901. Salary, $5,000.
THOMAS FRANCIS HUNT, *Assistant Commissioner.*
HUBERT POPE, *Secretary.*

From 1857 to 1885, the public institutions were in charge of a Board of Directors, twelve in number; from 1885 to 1889, in charge of a Board, consisting of nine members; from 1889 to 1895, in charge of the Board of Commissioners of Public Institutions, three in number. By Chap. 449 of the Acts of 1895, the institutions were placed under the charge of one commissioner, known as the Institutions Commissioner. By Chaps. 395 and 451 of the Acts of 1897, the control of the institutions was divided, and they were placed under the Children's Institutions Department, the Pauper Institutions Department, the Insane Hospital Department and the Penal Institutions Department.

The Penal Institutions Commissioner has the charge and control of Deer Island, the House of Correction at South Boston and the House of Correction at Deer Island. He purchases all fuel and other supplies required for the institutions in his charge; and also has charge of the

steamers "J. Putnam Bradlee" and "John Howard," which are used to transport passengers and freight to Deer, Long and Rainsford Islands.

PRINTING DEPARTMENT.

Offices at City Hall, and 611 Washington Street.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 31.]

THOMAS A. WHALEN, *Superintendent of Printing.* Term ends in 1898. Salary, $3,000.

The Superintendent of Printing has charge of all the printing for the departments of the city, and supplies all stationery, postage and binding. He also publishes "The City Record," the official gazette of the city.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, fourth floor.

[Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 22; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 32.]

JOHN DROHAN, *Superintendent of Public Buildings.* Term ends in 1899. Salary, $3,600.

The office of the Superintendent of Public Buildings was established by ordinance on July 1, 1850, and annual reports have been published by the Superintendent since 1851.

The public buildings of the city and county in charge of this department comprise the City Hall, the Old Probate Court Building, the Historical Society Building, the Old Court House, Faneuil Hall and Faneuil Hall Market-House, the Jail and Reception House, the Old State House, Curtis Hall, Old City Hall, Charlestown, the Armories, the School-houses, and all the Engine and Ladder-Truck Houses in the city, including those in Roxbury, Dorchester, West Roxbury, Brighton and Charlestown, besides other buildings used for public purposes, including ward-rooms.

LIST OF WARD-ROOMS.

Ward 1. — Chapman School-house, Eutaw street.
Ward 2. — Armory Building, Maverick street.
Ward 3. — Old Winthrop School-house, Bunker Hill street.
Ward 4. — Bunker Hill Grammar School-house, Baldwin street.
Ward 5. — Harvard Grammar School-house, Devens street.
Ward 6. — Ware Primary School-house, North Bennet street.
Ward 7. — Pierpont School-house, Hudson street.
Ward 8. — Wells School-house, Blossom street.
Ward 9. — Old Franklin School-house, Washington street.
Ward 10. — Rice School-house, Appleton street.

Ward 11. — Prince School-house, Exeter street.
Ward 12. — School-house, West Concord street.
Ward 13. — Spelman Hall, West Broadway.
Ward 14. — Gray's Hall, East Broadway.
Ward 15. — Court-room, Dorchester and West Fourth streets.
Ward 16. — Winthrop Hall, Upham's corner.
Ward 17. — Old Church Building, Dudley street.
Ward 18. — Bath-house, Cabot street.
Ward 19. — Old Pumping-station, Elmwood street.
Ward 20. — Ward-room building, Meeting House Hill.
Ward 21. — Dudley-street Opera House.
Ward 22. — Tomfohrde Hall, Boylston Station.
Ward 23. — Minton Hall, Hyde Park avenue.
Ward 24. — Dorchester Hall, Field's Corner.
Ward 25. — Old Town Hall, Washington street, Brighton.

ELECTRICAL CONSTRUCTION DIVISION.

Office, Old Court House, Room 7, first floor. HENRY F. COTTLE, *Chief of Division;* salary, $2,200. BENJAMIN B. HATCH, *Electrical Engineer.*

The Electrical Construction Division of the Public Buildings Department was organized May 2, 1896. This division has charge of all electrical repairs and construction, as well as the purchase of all electrical supplies for the various city departments.

REPAIRS DIVISION.

Office, store-room and shops, Armory Building, Wareham street. CHARLES LOGUE, *Chief of Division.* Salary, $3,000.

This division was established by His Honor the Mayor, January 13, 1898. The work of the division consists in executing all kinds of repairs, including carpentering, plumbing, painting, mason-work, steam-fitting, gas-fitting, plastering, roofing and glazing — upon all city buildings, except in cases where such repairs are made by regular employees of the several departments.

PUBLIC GROUNDS DEPARTMENT.

East Cottage Street, Dorchester.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 33.]

WILLIAM DOOGUE, *Superintendent.* Appointed annually. Salary, $4,000.

The Superintendent has charge of, and is the only person authorized to trim, the trees in the streets of the city and of all the public grounds, except the parks established under Stat. 1875, Chap. 185. (See Park Department.) He has the charge, also, of all the public grounds.

The office of the Superintendent of [the Common and] Public Grounds was established by ordinance on February 28, 1870. The first annual report of the Superintendent was published in 1879.

PUBLIC GROUNDS.

City Proper. — The Common and Malls, containing forty-eight and two-fifths acres, exclusive of the cemetery, which includes one and two-fifths acres. The length of the exterior boundary of the Common is one mile and one-eighth.

Public Garden, on the west side of Charles street, containing about twenty-four and one-quarter acres.

Franklin Square, on the east side of Washington street, between East Brookline and East Newton streets, containing about 105,205 square feet.

Blackstone Square, on the west side of Washington street, between West Brookline and West Newton streets, containing about 105,100 square feet.

St. Stephen's Square, at the corner of St. Stephen street and Batavia street, containing about 100 square feet.

Massachusetts Avenue Park Malls, between Albany street and Columbus avenue, containing about 106,500 square feet. Four sections.

Concord Square, between Tremont street and Columbus avenue, containing about 5,000 square feet.

Rutland Square, between Tremont street and Columbus avenue, containing about 7,400 square feet.

Berwick Park, between Columbus avenue and N. Y., N. H. and H. R.R., containing about 3,800 square feet.

Union Park, between Shawmut avenue and Tremont street, containing about 16,000 square feet.

Worcester Square, between Washington street and Harrison avenue, containing about 16,000 square feet.

Lowell Square, on Cambridge street, containing about 5,772 square feet.

Fort Hill Square, between Oliver and High streets, containing about 29,480 square feet.

Park Square, at the corner of Columbus avenue, Eliot and Pleasant streets, containing about 2,867 square feet.

Montgomery Square, at the junction of Tremont, Clarendon and Montgomery streets, containing about 550 square feet.

Copley Square, between Huntington avenue and Dartmouth and Boylston streets, also between Huntington avenue, Trinity place and St. James avenue, containing about 33,809 square feet. Two enclosures.

City Hall Grounds, School street, about 7,700 square feet.

Square, Harrison avenue, between Union Park and Waltham streets, 3,000 square feet.

South Boston. — Telegraph Hill, containing the reservoir. Independent of the reservoir there is a lot named Thomas Park, containing about 190,000 square feet, reserved for a public walk.

Independence Square, between Broadway, Second, M and N streets, containing about six and one-half acres.

Lincoln Square, between Emerson, Fourth and M streets, and east of the primary school-house, containing about 9,510 square feet.

Commonwealth Park, about 12 acres.

East Boston. — Maverick Square, between Sumner and Maverick streets, containing about 4,398 square feet.

Central Square, between Meridian and Border streets, containing about 40,310 square feet.

Putnam Square, between Putnam, White and Trenton streets, containing about 11,628 square feet.

Prescott Square, between Trenton, Eagle and Prescott streets, containing about 12,284 square feet.

Belmont Square, between Webster, Sumner, Lamson and Seaver streets, containing 30,000 square feet.

Roxbury. — Madison Square, between Sterling, Marble, Warwick and Westminster streets, containing about 122,191 square feet.

Orchard Park, between Chadwick, Yeoman and Orchard Park streets, containing about 104,492 square feet.

Washington Park, between Dale and Bainbridge streets, containing about 396,125 square feet.

Lewis Park, between Highland street, Highland avenue and Linwood street, containing about 5,600 square feet.

Longwood Park, between Park and Austin streets, containing about 21,000 square feet.

Walnut Park, between Washington street and Walnut avenue, containing about 5,736 square feet.

Bromley Park, between Albert and Bickford streets, containing about 20,975 square feet. Three enclosures.

Fountain Square, on Walnut avenue, between Munroe and Townsend streets, containing about 116,000 square feet.

Cedar Square, on Cedar street, between Juniper and Thornton streets, containing about 26,163 square feet.

Linwood Park, at the junction of Centre and Linwood streets, containing about 3,625 square feet.

Public Ground, Centre and Perkins streets, containing about 3,200 square feet,

Highland Park is the Old Fort lot, containing about 114,360 square feet, and occupied partly by the Roxbury stand-pipe.

Public Ground at the junction of Huntington avenue, Tremont and Francis streets, containing about 1,662 square feet.

Public Ground, Warren, St. James and Regent streets, containing 1,380 square feet.

Square, Albany street.

DORCHESTER. — Dorchester square, on Meeting-house Hill, between Church, Winter and Adams streets, containing about 56,200 square feet. The Soldiers' Monument is on this square.

Eaton Square, between Church, Bowdoin and Adams streets, containing about 13,280 square feet.

Mt. Bowdoin Green, on top of Mt. Bowdoin, containing about 25,170 square feet.

Richardson Square, between Pond and Cottage streets, 75,982 square feet.

Dorchester Field, so-called, on Dorchester avenue, containing about 274,000 square feet.

Public Ground on Magnolia street, containing about 3,605 square feet.

Adams Square, on Adams street, near Pierce avenue, containing 2,068 square feet.

Public Ground, Adams street, near Cedar Grove Cemetery, containing 700 square feet.

Algonquin Square, junction of Algonquin and Bradlee streets, containing 1,728 square feet.

Tremlett Park, Tremlett street, between Hooper and Waldeck streets, containing about 7,107 square feet.

CHARLESTOWN. — City Square, in front of Old City Hall, containing about 11,794 square feet. Two enclosures.

Sullivan Square, bounded by Main, Cambridge, Sever and Gardner streets, containing about 56,428 square feet.

Winthrop Square, bounded by Winthrop, Adams and Common streets, containing about 38,450 square feet. The Soldiers' Monument is on this square.

Public Ground, between Essex and Lyndeboro' streets, containing about 930 square feet.

Public Ground, Bunker Hill and Vine streets, containing about 4,484 square feet.

WEST ROXBURY. — The Soldiers' Monument lot, bounded by South and Centre streets, containing about 5,870 square feet.

Mt. Bellevue, public ground, containing about 27,772 square feet.

BRIGHTON. — Public Ground, bounded by Franklin and Pleasant streets, containing about 1,900 square feet.

Jackson Square, between Chestnut Hill avenue, Union and Winship streets, containing 4,300 square feet.

Brighton Square, between Chestnut Hill avenue and Rockland street, containing about 25,035 square feet.

Franklin Square, between Franklin and Fern streets, contains 1,900 square feet.

Rogers Park, Foster street, contains 7 acres.

Square, bounded by Cambridge, Brighton and Murdock streets, contains 7,449 square feet.

Massachusetts avenue and Cottage street, Dorchester, used for office, greenhouses and nursery, hot-bed, storehouse and stable, contains 102,531 square feet.

Storehouse Grounds, on Massachusetts avenue, adjoining location of N. Y. and N. E. R.R., contains 96,375 square feet.

STATUES AND MONUMENTS.

In addition to the Soldiers and Sailors' Monument on Monument Hill, Common, and the Soldiers' Monuments in the Charlestown, West Roxbury and Dorchester districts, there are the following in charge of this department: The Crispus Attucks and the Robert G. Shaw Monuments on the Common; statues of Edward Everett, George Washington, Charles Sumner and Thomas Cass in the Public Garden; Benjamin Franklin and Josiah Quincy in front of City Hall; Samuel Adams in Adams square, John Winthrop in Scollay square, the Emancipation Group in Park square, and the Ether Monument in the Public Garden.

FOUNTAINS.

The public fountains or vases in charge of this department are one each in Franklin, Blackstone, Chester, Independence, Central, Maverick, Sullivan and Jackson Squares, and Union Park; the Lyman Fountain in Eaton Square, the Brewer Fountain on the Common, the "Maid of the Mist" and three other fountains in the Public Garden.

REGISTRY DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, first floor.

[Stat. 1892, Chap. 314; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 34.]

WILLIAM H. WHITMORE, *City Registrar.* Appointed annually. Salary, $4,000.

FRANKLIN D. RIDEOUT, *First Assistant Registrar.*

J. OTIS FALLON, *Second Assistant Registrar.*

The City Registrar keeps the records of births, deaths and marriages, and issues certificates of all intentions of marriage. Annual reports have been published since 1849.

By law, in the absence of the Registrar, the Assistant Registrars may perform his duties and give certificates of attestation.

By Ordinance, approved July 12, 1892, the Department of Ancient Records and the office of Record Commissioners (established July 6, 1875) were abolished, and the duties of the Record Commissioners, including the publication of documents relating to the early history of Boston, were transferred to the City Registrar.

STATISTICS DEPARTMENT.

Office, Room 71, City Hall.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 37.]

BOARD OF STATISTICS COMMISSIONERS.

LAURENCE MINOT, *Chairman.*
EDWARD M. HARTWELL, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

CHARLES F. FOLSOM. Term ends in 1903.
LAURENCE MINOT. Term ends in 1902.
DAVIS R. DEWEY. Term ends in 1901.
B. RODMAN WELD. Term ends in 1900.
SUMNER B. PEARMAIN. Term ends in 1899.
WILLIAM JACKSON, *ex officio.*

This department is in charge of a board of six members, one of whom shall be the City Engineer, *ex officio*, whose duty it is to collect, compile and publish such statistics relating to the City of Boston and such other statistics of other cities, for purposes of comparison, as they may deem of public importance. "The City Record" is edited under the direction of this department.

SINKING-FUNDS DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, first floor.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 29, § 10; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 35.]

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF SINKING-FUNDS.

HENRY R. REED, *Chairman.*
JAMES H. DODGE, *Secretary.* Salary, $700 per annum.
ALFRED T. TURNER, *Treasurer.* Salary, $700 per annum.

COMMISSIONERS.

NATHANIEL J. RUST, UBERT K. PETTENGILL. Terms end in 1901.
HENRY R. REED, CHARLES H. COLE. Terms end in 1900.
JOHN H. SULLIVAN, CHARLES E. MORRISON. Terms end in 1899.

A Board of Commissioners of Sinking-Funds for the payment or redemption of the city debt was established by Ordinance on December 24, 1870. This Board consists of six members, two of whom are appointed annually in February for a term of three years from May 1. The Board has published annual reports since 1871.

SOLDIERS' RELIEF DEPARTMENT.

Office, Charity Building, Chardon street.

REUBEN PETERSON, *Commissioner.* Salary, $3,500. Term ends April 30, 1899.

The Soldiers' Relief Department was created as a department of the City of Boston by Chapter 441 of the Acts of 1897, and is under the charge of a commissioner, who is appointed by the Mayor. He exercises all powers and duties for the distribution of State aid to soldiers in the City of Boston, such as were formerly vested in the Mayor and Board of Aldermen, by certain acts of the Legislature of previous years. The Board of Aldermen determine the amount of relief in individual cases.

STREET DEPARTMENT.

Office, 47 City Hall, third floor.

[Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 25; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 38.]

BENJAMIN W. WELLS, *Superintendent of Streets.* Appointed annually. Salary, $7,500.

By Ordinance, approved March 9, 1891, in amendment of Chapter 18 of the Revised Ordinances of 1890, and by Chapter 449 of the Acts of 1895, the Superintendent of Streets was given administrative control of the Street Department, with the following divisions:

Central Office, Bridge Division, Cambridge and Boston Bridges, Ferry Division, Paving Division, Sanitary Division, Sewer Division, Street Cleaning Division, Street Watering Division.

The purchase of all supplies for the entire department is under the immediate supervision of the Superintendent, and is in charge of William J. Smith, purchasing agent, Room 47, City Hall. The Deputy Superintendents in charge of divisions are appointed by the Superintendent, with the approval of the Mayor.

BRIDGE DIVISION.

Office, 928 Tremont Building.

WILLIAM H. CARBERRY, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,000.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has charge of the highway bridges within the limits of the city, whether constructed over navigable waters or railroads; appoints draw-tenders and other employees, and has charge of all repairs except such as affect the structure of the bridges. The latter are made under the supervision of the City Engineer. The following-named bridges are under the charge of the Deputy Superintendent.

LIST OF BOSTON BRIDGES.

I. — BRIDGES WHOLLY SUPPORTED BY THE CITY.

[In the list those marked with an asterisk (*) are over navigable waters, and are each provided with a draw.]

ALLSTON, over Boston and Albany Railroad, at Cambridge street, Brighton.
ASHLAND STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division, West Roxbury.
ATHENS STREET, over New England Railroad.
BAKER STREET, at Brook Farm, West Roxbury.
BEACON STREET, over outlet to Back Bay Fens.
BEACON STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
BERKELEY STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
BERKELEY STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
BERWICK-PARK FOOT-BRIDGE, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
BLAKEMORE STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
BOLTON STREET, over New England Railroad.
BOYLSTON AVENUE, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
BOYLSTON STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
* BROADWAY, over Fort Point Channel.
BROADWAY, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
BROOKLINE AVENUE, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
BYRON STREET, over Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad.
* CHARLES RIVER, from Boston to Charlestown.
* CHELSEA (South), over South Channel, Mystic river.
* CHELSEA STREET, from East Boston to Chelsea.
COLUMBUS AVENUE, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
* COMMERCIAL POINT, over Tenean creek, Dorchester.
* CONGRESS STREET, over Fort Point Channel.
CORNWALL STREET, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
COTTAGE FARM, over Boston and Albany Railroad at Commonwealth avenue.
COTTAGE-STREET FOOT-BRIDGE, over Flats, East Boston.
DARTMOUTH STREET, over Boston and Albany and Providence Division of New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad.
* DOVER STREET, over Fort Point Channel.
ELMWOOD STREET (private way), over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
* FEDERAL STREET, over Fort Point Channel.
FERDINAND STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
FLORENCE STREET, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
GOLD-STREET FOOT-BRIDGE, over New England Railroad.
HUNTINGTON AVENUE, over Boston and Albany Railroad.

HYDE PARK AVENUE, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
IRVINGTON-STREET FOOT-BRIDGE, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
KEYES STREET, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
* L STREET, over reserved channel at junction of Congress and L streets.
LEYDEN STREET, over Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad.
LINDEN PARK STREET, over Stony brook.
* MALDEN, from Charlestown to Everett.
MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
MASSACHUSETTS AVENUE, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
* MERIDIAN STREET, from East Boston to Chelsea.
* MOUNT WASHINGTON AVENUE, over Fort Point Channel.
SHAWMUT AVENUE, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
SWETT STREET, east of New England Railroad.
SWETT STREET, west of New England Railroad.
TEXAS STREET, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
* WARREN, from Boston to Charlestown.
WEST NEWTON STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
WEST RUTLAND-SQUARE FOOT-BRIDGE, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.
WILLIAMS STREET, over Stony brook, West Roxbury.
WINTHROP, from Breed's Island to Winthrop.

II. — BRIDGES OF WHICH BOSTON SUPPORTS THE PART WITHIN ITS LIMITS.

* *Cambridge street*, from Brighton to Cambridge.
CENTRAL AVENUE, from Dorchester to Milton.
* CHELSEA (North), from Charlestown to Chelsea.
* *Essex street*, from Brighton to Cambridge.
* GRANITE, from Dorchester to Milton.
† LONGWOOD AVENUE, from Roxbury to Brookline.
MATTAPAN, from Dorchester to Milton.
MILTON, from Dorchester to Milton.
* NEPONSET, from Dorchester to Quincy.
* NORTH BEACON STREET, from Brighton to Watertown.
* *North Harvard street*, from Brighton to Cambridge.
SPRING STREET, from West Roxbury to Dedham.
* *Western avenue*, from Brighton to Cambridge.
* WESTERN AVENUE, from Brighton to Watertown.

† To be rebuilt and maintained by Park Departments of Boston and Brookline by act of Legislature.

NOTE. — The bridges whose names are printed in Italics are in the care of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges Commissioner. See page 94.

III. — BRIDGES, WHOSE COST OF MAINTENANCE IS PARTLY PAID BY BOSTON.

ALBANY STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad.
CHELSEA BRIDGE, over Boston and Maine Railroad.
DORCHESTER STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Plymouth Division.
EVERETT STREET, over Boston and Albany Railroad, Brighton.
WEST FOURTH STREET, over New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Plymouth Division.
* *Harvard*, from Boston to Cambridge.
* *Canal*, from Boston to Cambridge.
* *Prison Point*, from Charlestown to Cambridge.
* *West Boston*, from Boston to Cambridge.

IV. — BRIDGES SUPPORTED BY RAILROAD CORPORATIONS.

1. — By the Boston and Albany Railroad.

HARRISON AVENUE.
MARKET STREET, Brighton.
TREMONT STREET.
WASHINGTON STREET.

2. — By the Boston and Maine Railroad, Eastern Division.

MYSTIC AVENUE.
MAIN STREET.

3. — By the Boston and Maine Railroad, Western Division.

MYSTIC AVENUE.
MAIN STREET.

4. — By the Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn Railroad.

EVERETT STREET.

5. — By the New England Railroad.

DORCHESTER AVENUE.
HARVARD STREET, Dorchester.
MORTON " "
NORFOLK " "
NORFOLK " "
SILVER STREET.
WASHINGTON STREET, Dorchester.
WEST BROADWAY.
WEST FIFTH STREET.
WEST FOURTH STREET.
WEST SECOND STREET.
WEST SIXTH STREET.
WEST THIRD STREET.

NOTE. — The bridges whose names are printed in Italics are in the care of the Boston and Cambridge Bridges Commissioner. See page 94.

6. — By the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Plymouth Division.

ADAMS STREET.
ASHMONT STREET AND DORCHESTER AVENUE.
CEDAR GROVE CEMETERY.
FREEPORT STREET.
SAVIN HILL AVENUE.

7. — By the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, Providence Division.

BEECH STREET, West Roxbury.
BELLEVUE STREET, West Roxbury.
CANTERBURY STREET, West Roxbury.
CENTRE AND MT. VERNON STREETS, West Roxbury.
DUDLEY AVENUE, West Roxbury.
PARK STREET, West Roxbury.

RECAPITULATION.

I.	Number wholly supported by Boston	54
II.	Number of which Boston supports the part within its limits,	14
III.	Number of those whose cost of maintenance is partly paid by Boston	9
IV.	Number supported by railroad corporations :	
	1. Boston and Albany	4
	2. Boston and Maine, Eastern Division	2
	3. Boston and Maine, Western Division	2
	4. Boston, Revere Beach and Lynn	1
	5. New York and New England	13
	6. New York, New Haven and Hartford, Plymouth Division	5
	7. New York, New Haven and Hartford, Providence Division	6
	Total number	110

FERRY DIVISION.

Office, North Ferry Head-house, East Boston.

[Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 25.]

WILLIAM F. MCCLELLAN, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,000.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has the care and management of the ferries owned by the city, makes necessary repairs on all ferry-boats, slips, drops, tanks and buildings used for ferry purposes, and sees that all moneys received from tolls and other sources are paid to the City Collector.

By Chapter 449, Acts of 1895, the department was placed in charge of the Superintendent of Streets.

PAVING DIVISION.

Office, 44 City Hall, third floor.

JOHN L. KELLY, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,500.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has charge of the construction and maintenance of all highways, the placing of street signs and numbering of buildings, the notification of all departments and persons authorized to place structures in streets when the division contemplates the construction or resurfacing of streets, the issuing of permits to open, occupy and obstruct portions of streets, the removal of snow and ice from the streets, gutters and all plank sidewalks.

SANITARY DIVISION.

Office, 920 Tremont Building.

PATRICK O'SHEA, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,000.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has charge of the removal and disposal of house dirt, offal, ashes and other noxious and refuse substances from yards and areas, when placed in proper receptacles for removal, and the care of the city teams, dumping-boats and stables used for these purposes.

SEWER DIVISION.

Office, 30 Tremont street.

CHARLES R. CUTTER, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,500.
EDGAR S. DORR, *Chief Engineer.* Salary, $2,400.

The Sewer Division has charge of the construction of all sewerage works, as defined by Chapter 426 of the Acts of 1897, and amendments thereto, including the construction and maintenance of all sewers and catch-basins; completion and maintenance of the main drainage works; construction and maintenance of the channels of Stony brook; construction and maintenance of street culverts and surface drains; preparation of plans, and the engineering and supervision required on the construction and maintenance of all work connected with the division; investigation of complaints in regard to defective sewerage and surface drainage; granting of permits for all connections to be made with the common sewers, and the custody of bonds filed by drain-layers authorized to make such connections.

STREET-CLEANING DIVISION.

Office, 923 Tremont Building.

JOSHUA ATWOOD, 3D, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $3,000.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has charge of keeping the highways clean and in good sanitary condition; removing all street

sweepings, sweeping crossings, shovelling snow from the sidewalks in front of public buildings and around public grounds; and the care of the city teams, stables and other property used for these purposes.

STREET-WATERING DIVISION.

Office, 440 Tremont Building.

THOMAS J. FINNERAN, *Deputy Superintendent.* Salary, $2,200.

The Deputy Superintendent of this division has charge of watering accepted streets within the city limits, including both the work done by the day and work done at the expense of the abutters; the supervision of the inspection force, regulation of the manner of doing the work; also the care of the city water-carts and horses, the hire of private carts, location and care of water-posts, and the care of all other apparatus pertaining to street-watering.

STREET LAYING-OUT DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, third floor.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 49, §§ 84–86; Stat. 1870, Chap. 337; Stat. 1888, Chap. 397; Stat. 1891, Chap. 323; Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, § 23; Stat. 1896, Chap. 204; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 39.]

BOARD OF STREET COMMISSIONERS.

JOHN P. DORE, *Chairman.*
J. H. JENKINS, *Secretary.*

COMMISSIONERS.

JOHN P. DORE. Term ends in 1901. Salary, $4,500.
JOHN H. DUANE. Term ends in 1900. Salary, $4,000.
GEORGE H. INNIS. Term ends in 1899. Salary, $4,000.

The Street Laying-out Department is under the charge of the Board of Street Commissioners. One member of the Board is chosen by popular vote at the annual municipal election to serve for a term of three years from the first Monday in January. By Section 23, Chapter 449, Acts of 1895, the duties and powers of the Board of Survey were transferred to the Board of Street Commissioners.

J. W. MORRISON, *Chief Surveyor.* Salary, $3,500.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, first floor.

[Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 40.]

ALFRED T. TURNER, *City Treasurer.* Appointed annually. Salary, $6,000.

The first "Treasurer for the Towne, and to keep the Towne's booke," John Oliver, was chosen in 1641. In 1636, John Cogan was chosen treasurer to build Fort Hill.

The City Treasurer is also County Treasurer and Treasurer of the Sinking-Funds Commissioners.

The City Treasurer has the care and custody of the current funds of the city, of all moneys, properties and securities placed in his charge by any statute or ordinance, or by any gift, devise, bequest or deposit; he pays all drafts and all checks and other orders directed to him from the Auditing Department for the payment of bills and demands against the city; he pays all executions against the city when duly certified as correct by an officer of the Law Department, even if the appropriation to which the execution is chargeable is not sufficient. He pays the principal and interest of the city debt, as the same becomes due. He receives and invests all trust funds of the city, and holds the income thereof subject to expenditure for the purposes designated in the gift. He disposes of the balance remaining at the end of each financial year as the City Council may direct.

The Treasurer publishes reports yearly. Since 1882 he has published monthly reports.

VESSELS AND BALLAST DEPARTMENT.

Office, 175 Commercial street.

[Pub. Stats. Chap. 69, §§ 13–22; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 41.]

JOHN J. CADDIGAN, *Chief Inspector.* JAMES COLLINS, EDWARD HUGHES, *Assistant Inspectors.*

This department is under the charge of the Weighers of Vessels and Ballast, three in number, one of whom is designated by the Mayor as chief.

WATER DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall, fourth floor.

[Stat. 1895, Chap. 449, §§ 12–13; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 42.]

JOHN R. MURPHY, *Water Commissioner.* Term ends in 1901. Salary, $5,000.

The first water document published by the City of Boston appeared in 1825. The public introduction of water from Lake Cochituate took place on October 25, 1848. The history of the Boston Water Works up to January 1, 1868, has been written by Nathaniel J. Bradlee; from 1868 to 1876, by Desmond FitzGerald; of the "Additional Supply from Sudbury River," by A. Fteley. In addition to the annual reports on the Cochituate supply, from 1850, and of the Mystic supply, from 1866, there are numerous special reports. By Chapter 449, Acts of 1895, the

Boston Water Board and the Water Income Department and the Water Registrar were abolished, and the Water Department created, a single commissioner being intrusted with all the powers previously exercised by the Boston Water Board and the Boston Water Registrar.

EDWARD C. ELLIS, *Assistant Water Commissioner.* Salary, $3,000.
WALTER E. SWAN, *Chief Clerk and Secretary.* Salary, $3,000.
JOSEPH H. CALDWELL. *General Superintendent Income Division.* Office, City Hall. Salary, $3,000.
HUGH MCNULTY, *General Superintendent of the Distribution Division.* Office, 710 Albany street. Salary $3,000.

WEIGHTS AND MEASURES DEPARTMENT, SEALERS OF.

Office, basement of Old Court House, Court square.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 65, § 8; Stat. 1882, Chap. 42; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 43.]

DANIEL P. SULLIVAN, *Sealer.* Salary, $3,000 per annum.
RAPHAEL ROSNOSKY, CHARLES MINTZ, EDWIN J. TURNER, JOHN J. HIGGINS, DANIEL J. MOYNIHAN, JR., JEREMIAH J. CROWLEY, THOMAS F. BROPHY, JOHN GOLDING, WILLIAM H. FALLON, THOMAS J. DWYER, *Deputies.* Salaries, $1,600 each per annum.

This department is under the charge of the Sealer. The Sealer and Deputy Sealers are appointed also to seize illegal charcoal measures. (Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, § 88.)

The standards in use are supplied by the Commonwealth, and are determined by the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, Washington, D.C. The office was authorized by the statute of February 26, 1800. Annual reports have been published since 1868.

WIRE DEPARTMENT.

Office, Old Court House, Room 12.

[Stat. 1890, Chap. 404; Stat. 1894, Chap. 454; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 44.]

THOMAS W. FLOOD, *Wire Commissioner.* Term ends in 1897. Salary, $5,000.

The office of Commissioner was established August 4, 1894. The department issues annual reports; the first was issued February 1, 1895.

The duties of the Wire Commissioner are as follows:

To have all unexempted electric wires, cables and conductors in the city north of Dover and Berkeley streets, and between the Charles river, the harbor, and Fort Point Channel, placed, maintained and operated

underground and to remove all unexempted poles and structures in the streets within the above-named district; to supervise and inspect all wires, cables and conductors, whether underground or overhead; to designate the distances between overhead electric wires, cables and conductors; to regulate the direction in which such wires, cables or conductors shall be run, and the keeping and maintenance of all structures, especially those placed upon any roof, for the support of electric wires or cables in a safe and satisfactory condition, and to prevent, abate or remove any electrical danger; to decide on requests for exemption of wires and cables from going underground, and of poles, supports, etc., from removal; to see that all wires, cables and conductors are suitable and sufficiently insulated; to see that all wires are tagged with name of owner; to secure the removal of all dead or abandoned wires, and the protection of all buildings by fuses, or some other safety device, with the exception of the wires of the Fire and Police telegraphs, or those of series arc lights circuits; to inspect all wires carrying electric light, heating or power currents within buildings; to see that all poles and posts used for the transmission of electricity or the support of electric lamps are insulated in such a manner as to protect employees and other persons from injury; to see that all wires, posts, machinery and appliances are kept at all times in good order and condition; and to keep, in his office, maps showing the location of all wires and cables laid over, in or under the streets and public grounds.

In the month of January, in each of the years 1900-1909 inclusive, he shall prescribe the limits of a district within which, for not more than two miles of streets, avenues or highways, certain wires, cables and conductors shall be removed or placed underground during that calendar year. He may at any time grant permits to any person, firm or corporation duly authorized by law to lay or erect and maintain wires in the streets, for the removal of any wires, cables, conductors, poles or structures in any of the streets of the city, and the placing of the same underground.

The Commissioner is sole judge of what constitutes proper and safe insulation of electric conductors and appliances within buildings, and is authorized to make such rules and regulations as he may deem necessary to make them as safe as possible.

OTHER PUBLIC OFFICERS.

The following table shows the manner in which public officers, other than executive officers of the city, serving in the city, are appointed or elected as prescribed by statute, ordinance or regulation, the time of appointment or election, the term of office, and the sa'ary, if any, of each officer. All these appointments marked with a * are subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen.

Officers.	How Created.	Appointed.		Term.		Salary.
		By Whom.	When.	Begins.	Length of	
Art Commissioners...	Statute ..	Ex-officio..	1890.....	1890.....	Indefinite .	None.
Board of Appeal*.....	" ..	Mayor.....	Annually	May 1....	Three yrs .	$5[5]
Board of Police.....	" ..	Governor[1].	One in 1893,1894, 1895, respec'v'ly	" 1....	Five years.	4,000[2]
Boston Transit Commissioners *.....	" ..	Mayor and Governor[3].	July,1894.	" 1....	"	5,000
County Officers. See p. 96.....						
Court Officers. See p. 97.....						
Loan Association, Workingmen's, one Director	" ..	Mayor.....	Annually	3d Thursday in April..	One year..	None.
Loan Company, Collateral, one Director...	" ..	"	"	3d Wed'y in Dec ..	"	"
Managers of Old South Association	" ..	City Council[4]	"	When elected..	"	"
Medical Examiners...	" ..	Governor[1].	June30,98	.....	Seven yrs..	$4,000
School Committee. See p. 108.....	" ..	Elected....	City election....	2d Monday in Jan'y..	Three yrs..	None.
Undertakers	" ..	Bd.of H'lth	Annually	May 1...	One year..	"

[1] With the advice and consent of the Executive Council.
[2] Chairman, $500 additional.
[3] Three were appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, and two by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Executive Council.
[4] By concurrent vote.
[5] Salary five dollars per hour, but not to exceed $1,000 per year.

OFFICERS.	How Created.	APPOINTED.		TERM.		Salary.
		By Whom.	When.	Begins.	Length of.	
Officers to Transport Insane Persons.....	Reg'lat'n	Mayor.....	Annually	May 1...	One year..	$1,200
Officers Paid by Fees,*						
Beef, Weighers of..	Statute ..	"	"	" 1...	"	Fees.
Boilers, Weighers of, etc.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Coal, Weighers of...	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Constables	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Fence-Viewers.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Field-Drivers and Pound-Keepers...	" .	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Fish, Weigher of, Salt-water.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Grain, Measurers of,	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Hay and Straw, Inspectors of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Hay Scales, Superintendent of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Hoops and Staves, Cullers of....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Lime, Inspectors of,	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Marble, etc., Surveyors of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Petroleum, etc., Inspectors of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Upper Leather, Measurers of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"
Wood and Bark, Measurers of.....	" ..	"	"	" 1...	"	"

OTHER DEPARTMENTS.

ART DEPARTMENT.

Office, City Hall.

[Stat. 1890, Chap. 122; Stat. 1898, Chap. 410; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 4.]

BOARD OF ART COMMISSIONERS.

SAMUEL D. WARREN, named by Trustees of Museum of Fine Arts. Term ends in 1903.

CHARLES A. CUMMINGS, named by the Boston Art Club. Term ends in 1902.

ARTHUR A. CAREY, named by the Trustees of the Public Library. Term ends in 1901.

C. HOWARD WALKER, named by the Boston Society of Architects. Term ends in 1900.

F. W. CHANDLER, named by the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Term ends in 1899.

The Art Department was established by Chapter 410 of the Acts of the Legislature of 1898. It is in charge of five Commissioners, who are appointed by the Mayor, without confirmation. Each of the following-named bodies, namely, the Trustees of the Museum of Fine Arts, the Trustees of the Boston Public Library, the Trustees of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the Boston Art Club, and the Boston Society of Architects, submits a list of three persons to the Mayor; and the Mayor appoints one person as Art Commissioner from each of the lists so submitted. Whenever the term of a member of the Board expires, the Mayor appoints his successor from a list selected by the body which made the original selection as aforesaid. The Board may appoint a Secretary outside of its own membership, who serves without compensation.

No work of art can become the property of the city without the approval of the Art Department; which may also be requested by the Mayor or the City Council to pass upon the design of any municipal building, bridge, approach, lamp, ornamental gate or fence, or other structure to be erected upon land belonging to the city. The Board is also authorized to make contracts for the execution of any painting or work of sculpture for the city, subject to the approval of the Mayor.

BOARD OF APPEAL.

[Stat. 1892, Chap. 419, §§ 12, 14.]

BOARD OF APPEAL.

GEORGE R. SWASEY, *Chairman.* Term ends in 1901.
ARTHUR G. EVERETT, *Secretary.* Term ends in 1900.
WILLIAM H. SAYWARD. Term ends in 1899.
Office of Secretary, 60 Devonshire street.

One member is appointed by the Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, one by the Boston Society of Architects, and one by the Master Builders' Association; the two latter being subject to approval by the Mayor. The term of office is three years. Their compensation is fixed at five dollars for each hour of actual service, the total not to exceed one thousand dollars each.

Any applicant for a permit from the Building Commissioner whose application has been refused, any person who has been ordered by the Commissioner to incur any expense, and any person the value of whose property may be affected by work to be done under permit granted by the Commissioner, may appeal to the Board of Appeal, by giving notice in writing to the Commissioner within the time fixed by the statute. All cases of appeal are referred to this Board, which may, after a hearing, direct the Commissioner to issue his permit under such conditions, if any, as the Board may require, or to withhold the same. Permits to restore damage by fire can only be issued with the approval of the Board. The Board has authority to enter any building or premises in the City of Boston.

BOSTON AND CAMBRIDGE BRIDGES.

Office, City Hall, third floor.

[Stat. 1870, Chap. 300, 302; Stat. 1898, Chap. 467, § 14.]

BENJAMIN W. WELLS, *Commissioner for Boston.*
WILLIAM J. MARVIN, *Commissioner for Cambridge.*

This Commission was established by Statute in 1870, to have charge of the maintenance of the West Boston, Canal or Craigie's, and the Prison Point bridges. (Statutes of 1870, Chap. 300, 302.) In 1892 the Harvard Bridge was placed in their charge (Stat. of 1882, Chap. 155). The powers of the Commission have been greatly enlarged by Statutes of 1898, Chapter 467, Section 14. This Act places all bridges and draws between the two cities in their charge, to support, manage, and keep in repair, and to authorize exclusively the placing of poles, wires and other structures upon them. The expense of maintenance is borne equally by the City of Boston and the City of Cambridge.

The Commission consists of a board of two Commissioners, one appointed by the Mayor of the City of Boston and one by the Mayor of the City of Cambridge. They serve without compensation.

BRIDGES IN CHARGE OF THE COMMISSIONERS.

* Cambridge-street bridge.
Canal, or Craigie's bridge.
* Essex-street bridge.
Harvard bridge.
* North Harvard-street bridge.
Prison Point bridge.
* Western-avenue bridge to Cambridge.
West Boston bridge.

BOSTON TRANSIT COMMISSION.

Office, 20 Beacon street.

[Stat. 1894, Chap. 548.]

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

GEORGE G. CROCKER, *Chairman.*
B. LEIGHTON BEAL, *Secretary.*
H. A. CARSON, *Chief Engineer.*

COMMISSIONERS.

GEORGE G. CROCKER, HORACE G. ALLEN. Appointed by the Governor.

CHARLES H. DALTON, THOMAS J. GARGAN, GEORGE F. SWAIN. Appointed by the Mayor.

Each Commissioner serves for the term of five years from July, 1894.

CAMBRIDGE BRIDGE COMMISSION.

[Stat. 1897. Chap. 500, § 5; Stat. 1898, Chap. 467.]

Commissioners. — JOSIAH QUINCY (*ex officio*), ALVIN F. SORTWELL (*ex-officio*), E. D. LEAVITT.

The Commission has charge of the construction of a new bridge, not less than 105 feet in width, across the Charles river, to be known as the Cambridge bridge, at or near the site of the present West Boston bridge, from Cambridge street in Boston to Main street in Cambridge.

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* Placed in charge of the Commission, July, 1898, under Chapter 467 of the Acts of 1898.

Approaches not less than 100 feet in width are to be laid out by the Commission and constructed by the City Engineers of Boston and Cambridge, at the expense of each city respectively. The cost of the bridge is to be paid by three parties. The Boston Elevated Railway Company pays such portion of the cost as shall be rendered necessary by reason of the bridge being of additional size and strength for the use of the elevated railroad, and shall construct or pay for constructing its railway, both elevated and surface, across the bridge. The balance of the cost is to be paid, one-half by the City of Boston and one-half by the City of Cambridge.

COLLATERAL LOAN COMPANY.

[Stat. 1859, Chap. 173, § 6; Stat. 1865, Chap. 14; Stat. 1889, Chap. 423.]

The Collateral Loan Company is managed by seven directors, selected annually, five chosen by the corporators at the annual meeting in December, one appointed by the Governor and one by the Mayor.

Robert F. Clark, *Director.* Appointed by the Mayor.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

County Commissioners for the County of Suffolk. — The Mayor and Aldermen of Boston.
County Auditor. — James H. Dodge.
County Treasurer. — Alfred T. Turner.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

[Pub. Stat., Chap., 10, § 2.]

District Attorney. — Oliver Stevens. Salary, $5,000. Paid by the Commonwealth. Elected by the people in 1895 for three years from the first Wednesday of January, 1896.
First Assistant. — Michael J. Sughrue. Salary, $3,300.
Second Assistant. — John D. McLaughlin. Salary, $3,300.
Clerk to District Attorney. — Frederic H. Chase. Salary, $1,800.

REGISTER OF DEEDS.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 10, § 9; Chap. 24, § 9; Stat. 1895, Chap. 493.]

Register of Deeds. — Thomas F. Temple. Salary, $5,500. Elected by the people in 1897 for three years.
Assistant Register. — Charles W. Kimball. Salary, $3,000. Appointed by the Register.

SHERIFF.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 10, § 5; Chap. 25, §§ 2, 3.]

Sheriff and Jailer. — John B. O'Brien. Salary as sheriff, $3,000; as jailer, $1,000; and room and board at the jail. Elected by the people in 1895 for the three years ending in January, 1899.

Special Sheriff. — Fred H. Seavey.

Deputy Sheriffs for Service of Writs. — Fred H. Seavey, J. G. Fennessey, John F. Kelly, Joseph F. Silsby, Jr., Francis Martin, Robert E. Maguire, Albert C. Tilden.

Deputy Sheriffs for Court Duty. — William W. Campbell, Samuel Canning, Daniel A. Cronin, James F. Goodwin, Robert Herter, Frederick P. Knapp, Daniel Noonan, Joseph S. Paine, John R. Rea, William G. Tyler, James A. Hussey.

All debts and expenses of the County of Suffolk are borne by the City of Boston, unless otherwise specified.

COURT OFFICERS.

Offices in Court House, Pemberton square, except as otherwise specified.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT FOR THE COMMONWEALTH.

Clerk. — Henry A. Clapp. Salary, $3,000, paid by the Commonwealth. Appointed by the Court.

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

Clerk. — John Noble. Salary, $5,000 from the County and $1,500 from the Commonwealth. Elected by the people in 1896 for five years.

Assistant Clerk. — Clarence H. Cooper. Salary, $2,500.

SUPERIOR COURT FOR CIVIL BUSINESS.

Clerk. — Joseph A. Willard. Salary $6,500. Elected by the people in 1896 for five years.

Assistant Clerks. — Edward A. Willard, Henry E. Bellew, Francis P. Ewing, Charles W. Spencer, Wellington Wells, George E. Kimball, Allen H. Bearse.

Assistant Clerk in Equity.—Theodore M. Osborne. Salary, $3,000.

Stenographers. — Frank H. Burt, James P. Bacon, Charles E. Barnes, Fred W. Card, Cora E. Burbank. Appointed by the Court.

SUPERIOR COURT FOR CRIMINAL BUSINESS.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 10, § 3; Stat. 1888, Chap. 257.]

Clerk. — John P. Manning. Salary, $6,000. Elected by the people in 1896 for five years.

Assistant Clerks. — John R. Campbell, Julian Seriack.

COURT OF PROBATE AND INSOLVENCY.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 10, § 4; Stat. 1893, Chap. 379.]

Judge. — John W. McKim. Salary, $5,000.
Judge. — Robert Grant. Salary, $5,000.
Register. — Elijah George. Salary, $5,000.
Assistant Register. — Eugene Tappan.
Clerk. — James L. Crombie.

The Judges of Probate are appointed by the Governor. They are paid by the Commonwealth. The Register was elected by the people in 1893 for five years.

MUNICIPAL COURT OF BOSTON.

[The Judicial District comprises the territory bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue with the Charles river; thence by said Massachusetts avenue, the Providence Division of the N. Y., N. H. and H. R.R., Camden, Washington, East Lenox, Fellows, Northampton and Albany streets, Massachusetts avenue, the Roxbury canal, East Brookline street extended, the New England Railroad, the water line of South Boston, Bristol street extended and the water line of the city proper, to the point of beginning. Jurisdiction within district (Acts of 1876, Chap. 240), and throughout the city (Acts of 1877, Chap. 187).]

Chief Justice. — William E. Parmenter. Salary, $4,300.
Associate Justices. — William J. Forsaith, Frederick D. Ely, John H. Burke, John F. Brown, George Z. Adams. Salary, $4,000 each.

[Stats. of 1887, Chap. 163.]

Special Justices. — Henry S. Dewey, George L. Wentworth.

Terms of the Court.

For Civil Business. — Every Saturday at 9 A.M., for trial of civil causes not exceeding $2,000.
Clerk. — Orsino G. Sleeper. Salary, $3,000. Appointed by the Governor.
Assistant Clerks. — Oscar F. Timlin, Henry R. W. Browne, Stephen Thacher, Walter F. Frederick.

For Criminal Business. — Every day in the week (Sundays and legal holidays excepted) at 9 A.M., for the trial of criminal causes.
Clerk. — Frederic C. Ingalls. Salary, $3,000. Appointed by the Governor.
Assistant Clerks. — Edward J. Lord, Sidney P. Brown, William W. Davis, Edward H. Cutler, Arthur P. Hardy, John F. Barry.

MUNICIPAL COURT, BRIGHTON DISTRICT.

Cambridge street, corner of Henshaw street.

Jurisdiction, Ward 25.

Justice. — Henry Baldwin. Salary, $1,600.
Special Justices. — James H. Rice and Charles A. Barnard.
Clerk. — Henry P. Kennedy. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business every week-day, except holidays, commencing at 9 A.M.

For the return and entry of *civil* actions, every Saturday at 9 A.M.

MUNICIPAL COURT, CHARLESTOWN DISTRICT.

Old City Hall, City square.

Jurisdiction, Wards 3, 4, 5.

Justice.— Henry W. Bragg. Salary, $2,200.
Special Justices.— Joseph H. Cotton and Simon Davis.
Clerk.— William J. Hatton. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business each day at 9 o'clock A.M.

For *civil* business, every Thursday at 9 A.M.

MUNICIPAL COURT, DORCHESTER DISTRICT.

Adams street, corner of Arcadia street.

[Jurisdiction comprises the territory bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of the private way known as Carleton street, with the harbor line; thence by said Carleton street, Mt. Vernon, Boston, Columbia and Quincy streets, Blue Hill avenue, Harvard street, the boundary lines between Boston and Hyde Park, Milton and Quincy and the harbor line, to the point of beginning.]

Justice.— Joseph R. Churchill. Salary, $1,600.
Special Justices.— George M. Reed, George A. Fisher.
Clerk.— N. Thomas Merritt, jr.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business each day at 9 o'clock A.M.

For *civil* business, on Saturday at 9.30 A.M.

EAST BOSTON DISTRICT COURT.

Public Library Building, Meridian street, East Boston.

Jurisdiction, Wards 1 and 2, Boston, and Town of Winthrop.

Justice.— William H. H. Emmons. Salary, $2,200.
Special Justices.— James L. Walsh and Albert E. Clary.
Clerk.— Willard S. Allen. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business every week-day, except legal holidays, commencing at 9 o'clock A.M.

For the return and entry of *civil* actions, every Saturday at 9 o'clock A.M. (See Stat. 1886, Chap. 15.)

MUNICIPAL COURT, ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Old Washington School-house, Roxbury street.

[Jurisdiction comprises the territory bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning at the intersection of Massachusetts avenue with the Charles river; thence by said Massachusetts avenue, the Providence Division of the N. Y., N. H. and H. R.R., Camden, Washington, East Lenox, Fellows, Northampton and Albany streets, Massachusetts

avenue, the Roxbury canal, East Brookline street extended, the New England Railroad, Willow court extended, Willow court, Boston, Columbia and Quincy streets, Blue Hill avenue, Seaver street, Columbus avenue, Washington, Dimock, Amory, Centre and Perkins streets, that portion of Leverett park which was formerly Chestnut street, the boundary line between Boston and Brookline, Ashby street and the Charles river, to the point of beginning.]

Justice. — Solomon A. Bolster. Salary, $3,000.
Special Justices. — A. Nathan Williams, Joseph N. Palmer.
Clerk. — Maurice J. O'Connell. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for transaction of *criminal* business every week-day, except legal holidays, commencing at 9 o'clock A.M.

For the return and entry of *civil* actions, every Saturday at 10 o'clock A.M.

For the trial of *civil* actions, every Tuesday at 10 o'clock A.M.

MUNICIPAL COURT, SOUTH BOSTON DISTRICT.

Dorchester street, at the corner of West Fourth street.

[Jurisdiction comprises the territory bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning where the private way known as Carleton street intersects the water line in Boston harbor; thence by said Carleton street, Mt. Vernon street, Willow court, Willow court extended, the New England Railroad, the shore line of the South Bay, Fort Point Channel and Boston harbor, to the point of beginning.]

Justice. — Joseph D. Fallon. Salary, $2,500.
Special Justices. — Charles J. Noyes and Josiah S. Dean.
Clerk. — Frank J. Tuttle. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business every week-day, except legal holidays, commencing at 9 o'clock A.M.

For the return and entry of *civil* actions, every Saturday from 9 A.M. until 12 M.

For the trial of *civil* actions, every Tuesday at 11 o'clock A.M.

MUNICIPAL COURT, WEST ROXBURY DISTRICT.

Seaverns avenue, Jamaica Plain.

[Jurisdiction comprises the territory bounded as follows, viz.: Beginning at the boundary line between Boston and Brookline at Leverett park, formerly known as Chestnut street; thence by said Leverett park, Perkins, Centre, Amory, Dimock and Washington streets, Columbus avenue, Seaver street, Blue Hill avenue, Harvard street, the boundary lines between Boston and Hyde Park, Dedham, Needham, Newton and Brookline, to the point of beginning.]

Justice. — J. M. F. Howard. Salary, $1,600.
Special Justices. — Henry Austin and J. Albert Brackett.
Clerk. — Edward W. Brewer. Appointed by the Governor.

The Court sits for the transaction of *criminal* business every week-day, except legal holidays, commencing at 9 o'clock A.M.

For the return and entry of *civil* business every Saturday until 12 o'clock, noon.

Trials (*civil* cases), Mondays at 2.30 P.M.

PROBATION OFFICERS.

[Stat. 1891, Chap. 356; Stat. 1892, Chaps. 242, 276; Stat. 1897, Chap. 266.]

These officers are appointed by the judges of the respective courts to ascertain all facts relating to the offenders brought before the courts. They are also constables, and serve without bonds.

Boston. — Richard Keefe. *Assistants:* Joshua T. Fuller, Charles E. Grinnell, Mary Agnes Maynard, Elizabeth L. Tuttle, Richard J. Walsh, Charles M. Warren, James F. Wilkinson.

Brighton . .	Henry P. Kennedy .	Brighton.
Charlestown .	Nathaniel Leonard .	Charlestown.
Dorchester .	Alvin I. Phillips . .	Freeman st., Dorchester.
East Boston .	Calvin A. Littlefield .	34 Princeton st., East Boston.
Roxbury . .	William A. Blossom .	Roxbury.
South Boston .	George N. Parker .	437 Fourth st., South Boston.
West Roxbury .	C. H. D. Stockbridge,	Court room, Jamaica Plain.

MEDICAL EXAMINERS.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 26.]

The city is divided into two districts by a line running from the Essex-street bridge, through Brighton avenue, to Beacon street; thence through Beacon street to Park street; thence through Park, Tremont, Winter and Summer streets, to the water. [See Proceedings of the Board of Aldermen, September 5, 1881.]

Medical Examiners. — Francis A. Harris, 59 Chambers street; Frank W. Draper, 304 Marlborough street. Salaries, $4,000 each.

Associate Medical Examiner. — George Stedman, 110 Newbury street. Salary $666. All are appointed by the Governor.

MERCHANTS' MUNICIPAL COMMITTEE.

Alpheus H. Hardy, *Chairman.*

George H. Leonard, *Vice-Chairman.*

Amory A. Lawrence, Horatio G. Curtis, Freeman J. Doe, William O. Blaney, J. Richard Carter. Terms end in 1899.

This Board constitutes an advisory committee to the Mayor on business questions generally. It is appointed, at the request of the Mayor, by the Associated Board of Trade, a body representing all the commercial organizations of the City of Boston.

Regular meetings of the Committee are held on the second Tuesday of each month.

OFFICERS PAID BY FEES.

Appointed annually by Mayor, subject to confirmation by the Board of Aldermen, for one year beginning with the first day of May, in the year appointed, and until their successors are confirmed.

Beef, Weighers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, §§ 1, 2.] Joel W. Bent, Frederick L. Dodge, Charles W. Hapgood.

Boilers and Heavy Machinery, Weighers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 65, § 30.] John L. Caldwell, Edward N. Clancy, Nelson C. Clement, Patrick D. Curry, Charles A. David, John F. Donovan, Alfred Doane, Kenneth S. Duncan, L. T. Farnum, Alexander C. Ford, John Hurley, John W. Kelley, M. P. Woldemar Kreutz, Henry D. Lynch, Eugene McCarthy, George W. Merrill, Thomas H. O'Brien, Dennis O'Sullivan, James Slesser, F. S. Thompson.

Coal, Weighers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, §§ 80–84.] Morton Alden, Revere E. Atwood, William G. Bail, James E. Barnett, George L. Batchelder, John L. Batchelder, jr., Frederick J. Bradford, Barney M. Brennan, Michael J. Brennan, Thomas F. Brennan, John L. Caldwell, P. J. Caldwell, Donald S. Campbell, John H. Card, Edward N. Clancy, A. D. Clark, Frederick E. Cleaves, Thomas Colbert, Nelson B. Coll, Charles J. Collins, Edward E. Coye, Hugh F. Crane, James B. Dana, Asa W. Davidson, Harold L. Day, A. E. Dennis, F. W. Dickinson, Alfred Doane, Charles E. Dodge, John F. Donovan, Luther W. Drowne, John H. Duffill, Kenneth S. Duncan, Albert Eaton, R. W. Edds, William H. Eltz, John C. Felker, jr., Arthur L. Fish, Edmund D. Fitzpatrick, Daniel F. Flynn, Alexander C. Ford, George E. Frost, Henry A. Frost, Nellie M. Frost, Thomas F. Gallagher, J. M. Gilman, Thomas F. Golding, Henry F. Gould, Robert J. Gove, Wesley A. Gove, William A. Gove, Charles T. Grant, George B. Grant, William C. Ham, Charles A. Hamann, George P. Hamlin, Joseph L. Harding, J. Arthur Heaton, Stephen Henton, Sidney C. Higgins, Winfield W. Hill, F. A. Hobbs, Samuel Hosea, jr., John W. Hunter, Frank B. Ingalls, Elisha F. James, Harry W. Johnson, Henry R. Jordan, John Kelly, John Kelly, jr., M. P. Woldemar Kreutz, Edward A. Lathrop, William D. Leeds, Clarence J. Libbey, George W. Merrill, Joseph F. Mills, Richard J. Moore, Fred. C. Morgan, Fred L. Moses, Russell Musculus, John F. Nelson, William H. Pierce, Edward E. Piper, James T. Pond, Horace G. Robbins, Joseph Robbins, Dennis D. Ruddy, James Russell, William J. Seaver, D. F. Sheehan, John H. Smith, Lucius W. Smith, Clinton E. Somes, George C. Squier, Frank R. Sullivan, Frederick S. Stanwood, James P. Stewart, Norman Q. Stewart, Clinton G. Stickney, Charles E. Stone, G. Louis Stowers, Fred S. Thompson, Frank O. Thompson, Charles F. Tirrell, John P. Toomey, Joel F. Vinal, Howard Wade, Alfred A. Waldron, Charles S. Wellington, G. E. Whipple, Michael F. Walsh,

John R. White, Edward J. Whitmarsh, Henry G. Wilson, James F. Wilson, J. Clarence Whitney, Benjamin D. Wood, Harry M. Wood, Frederick A. Worden, Moses E. Young.

Constables. — [Stat. 1802, Chap. 7, § 1; Pub. Stat., Chap. 27, §§ 112–122; Pub. Stat., Chap. 28, § 9.] The following give bond in $3,000, and are therefore authorized to serve civil process: William Adams, Charles A. Bancroft, Clarence B. Benedict, Lyde W. Benjamin, Joseph H. Blatt, John F. Bowen, Solomon Brids, Joshua Brothers, jr., Paul C. Brooks, Benjamin F. S. Bullard, James M. Carter, William H. Chick, James J. Clark, Michael Cangiano, John J. Conroy, George W. Crawford, James H. Cruff, James W. Currier, George C. Davis, Henry H. Dewey, Robert J. Dooley, George G. Drew, Thomas J. Drury, John A. Duggan, Peter P. Fee, Thomas Fee, William E. Fitzgerald, Walter A. Goddard, George W. Goode, Charles G. Goussebaire, Sears H. Grant, Abner C. Gray, George W. Green, Charles A. Grover, Joseph Guttentag, Charles A. Harrigan, Edward J. Holland, John W. Holmes, Lewis J. N. Hurie, Edward L. Hopkins, Edwin Jaquith, Parker N. Jenkins, Horace A. Jordan, Clarence G. Kellogg, Edward W. Kelly, Gusteen I. Kennerson, William H. Kenney, Russell R. Knapp, Joseph A. Langone, James F. Larkin, Morris F. Lewenberg, George W. Lowther, William H. Lyon, Henry Martyn, William A. Mason, George R. Matthews, James McDonough, Michael McEleney, Joseph I. McLaughlin, Robert M. McLeish, James J. Morgan, John Mundy, George H. Nason, James Needham, Philip O'Brien, John J. O'Regan, Isaiah Paine, Jr., George F. Pierce, Benjamin F. Powell, John G. Ray, Robert Reid, Peter H. Reinstein, Thomas D. Roberts, Nathaniel G. Robinson, John J. Rogers, George Henry Royce, John L. Russell, Charles A. Savery, David Schapero, William A. Sheehan, Henry W. Shephard, Abraham T. Silberstein, Morris Silverstein, Frederick L. Smith, Jeremiah S. Sullivan, Forrest E Starr, Herbert W. Stebbins, Anson Stern, Calvin Stowe, William H. Swift, Frederic S. Walker, John J. Walsh, James H. Waugh, Barnett White, Henry S. Worrall, George L. Wrighton.

Constables connected with official positions.[1] — Richard F. Andrews, Thomas A. Ball, John H. Banks, Daniel F. Breen, Carlan A. Brown, Moses P. Brown, John B. Cadigan, William W. Campbell, John F. Clark, William A. Coburn, William P. Cook, Thomas A. Crawford, Thomas J. Donnellon, Aaron A. Downs, William L. Drohan, John A. Duddy, Cornelius A. Dugan, Charles H. Filisetti, Thomas Folger, Elijah D. Foss, Henry Fox, John J. Franey, Michael S. Green, William W. Griffin, John F. Harrigan, Charles Harrington, Charles P. Harrington, John J. Henry, Gustavus B. Hutchinson, James O. Jordan, Thomas Jordan, James P. Keliher, Samuel Kelley,

[1] Give bonds and have legal authority to serve civil process. They are not supposed to do so, however.

Stephen P. Kelley, Edward Kelly, Edward A. Kennedy, James M. Kilroy, Edward J. Leary, James F. McCarthy, James E. Norton, James J. O'Brien, Thomas J. O'Neil, George N. Parker, Alvah H. Peters, Alvin I. Phillips, Patrick F. Reddy, John H. Riley, John Robie, B. Franklin Sanborn, Henry J. Schenck, Charles J. Smith.

Connected with the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Children.[1] — Edwin R. Smyth, Monsier D. Mann, William R. Critcheson.

Connected with the Society for Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.[1] — Lemuel B. Burrill, Charles F. Clark, James Duckering, James R. Hathaway, Thomas Langlan.

Fence-Viewers. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 27, § 78; Chap. 36, §§ 1–19.] Edward R. McLarin and Joseph B. Sias.

Field-Drivers and Pound Keepers. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 27, § 78; Chap. 36, §§ 20–41; Chap. 111, § 26.] Joseph H. Murphy in Brighton, Henry Griffith in Dorchester, John Rooney in East Boston, William T. McChesney in South Boston, William Cotter in the Back Bay District.

Grain, Measurers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, §§ 21–28.] Horace W. Aitken, Ebenezer Barrett, William Bentley, Lawrence A. Bragan, Elmer E. Chain, Edward N. Clancy, Michael Collins, Charles R. Clifford, Michael F. Codire, Cornelius Cowhig, Patrick T. Corcoran, Charles A. David, Robert J. Desmond, John Devereux, F. W. Dickinson, Alton F. Dow, Daniel F. Enos, L. T. Farnum, Michael Finn, Hugh Flanagan, Carroll Gates, John H. Gillogly, William Gleason, Henry F. Gould, George Gourley, Alden H. Harding, Benjamin Hay, Joseph G. Herrick, Joseph A. Hill, Daniel Hurley, George W. Keith, William T. McLaughlin, Cornelius Murphy, James A. Murphy, Alfred J. Sidwell, James Slesser, James E. Soutter, John Steele, Charles E. Stone, Fred J. Sullivan, Loring H. Tucker.

Hay or Straw, Inspectors of Pressed or Bundled. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60; §§ 35–40.] Morton Alden, Charles E. Avery, Joseph P. Carmody Elmer E. Chain, Charles R. Davis, John M. Davis, F. W. Dickinson, John H. Dunn, William M. Dunn, Ervin F. Eaton, Thomas B. Gammon, John H. Gillogly, Henry F. Gould, William Lincoln, Jairus L. Litchfield, S. B. Keene, Richard J. Moore, Leslie A. Pike, Edward G. Stanley, Charles E. Stone, Charles F. Thompson, Andrew N. Wyeth.

Hay-Scales, Superintendents of. — [Pub. Stat. Chap. 60, §§ 32–34; Rev. Ord., Chap. 45, §§ 23–25.] Herbert C. Davis, North scales; Edwin T. Frost, South Boston; Charles W. Richardson, Roxbury; Benjamin F. Paine, Brighton; Thomas R. Frost, West Roxbury; Lewis L. P. Atwood, West Roxbury; Timothy Dunn, South scales; William J. Mathers, East Boston.

Lime, Inspector of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, §§ 46–52.] Patrick J. McCarthy.

[1] Those connected with S. P. C. T. C., and S. P. C. T. A., and the Truant Officers serve without bonds, and do not serve civil process. (See page 111.)

Marble, Freestone and Soapstone, Surveyor of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, § 53.] Frank L. Bowker.

Petroleum and its Products, Inspectors of. — [Pub. Stat. Chap. 59, § 6; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 45, § 6.] N. Porter Cleaves, Robert F. Means.

Upper Leather, Measurers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 62.] John J. Powers, Sewall B. Farnsworth, Edward R. Maxwell.

Wood and Bark, Measurers of. — [Pub. Stat., Chap. 60, §§ 72–78; Rev. Ord., 1898, Chap. 45, § 26.] Morton Alden, Revere E. Atwood, George L. Batchelder, James B. Dana, John M. Davis, Harold L. Day, A. E. Dennis, Luther W. Drowne, William H. Eltz, Joseph Flores, J. Arthur Heaton, Sidney C. Higgins, Samuel Hosea, jr., John W. Hunter, Frank B. Ingalls, Albert T. Orrall, Dennis D. Ruddy, Frank E. Sullivan, Frank O. Thompson, Howard Wade, J. Clarence Whitney.

OFFICER TO TRANSPORT INSANE PERSONS.

Daniel F. Breen. Salary, $1,200. Appointed by the Mayor.

OLD SOUTH ASSOCIATION IN BOSTON.

[Stat. 1877, Chap. 222, §§ 1, 2.]

The Mayor, *ex officio*, and Timothy L. Connolly and Joseph A. Conry, Managers on the part of the City of Boston.

The association is managed by a board of managers, consisting of fifteen, of whom the Mayor of the City of Boston is one, *ex officio*, two are elected annually by the City Council for the municipal year, and the others are chosen as provided by Chap. 222, of the Acts of 1877.

POLICE DEPARTMENT.

Office, 37 Pemberton square.

[Pub. Stat., Chap. 34; Chap. 100, § 28; Stat. 1878, Chap. 244; 1885, Chap. 323; 1895, Chap. 449, § 26.]

BOARD OF POLICE.

Augustus P. Martin, *Chairman.*
Francis R. Bangs, *Attorney.*
Thomas Ryan, *Clerk.*

COMMISSIONERS.

Robert F. Clark. Term ends in 1903. Salary, $4,000.
Charles P. Curtis, Jr. Term ends in 1900. Salary, $4,000.
Augustus P. Martin. Term ends in 1899. Salary, $4,500.

The Board of Police for the City of Boston was established by Chapter 323 of the Acts of 1885, and is composed of three citizens of Boston, appointed from the two principal political parties by the Governor, with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, and the full term of office is five years from the first day of May. The Board assumed office on July 23, 1885. The Governor designates one of the Commissioners to serve as Chairman.

The city is divided into sixteen Police Districts, in each of which is a station-house, the headquarters of a captain and force of men. The Board appoints a Harbor-Master and assistants from the police force, and they receive pay in accordance with their rank in the force. The police boats "Guardian" and "Watchman" are employed in this service.

EXECUTIVE STAFF.

BENJAMIN P. ELDREDGE, *Superintendent of Police.* Salary, $3,500.

JOSEPH R. BURRILL, WILLIAM H. PIERCE, ORINTON M. HANSCOM, JAMES M. COULTER, BYRON F. BRAGDON, *Deputy Superintendents.* Salary, $2,800 each.

BUREAU OF CRIMINAL INVESTIGATION.

WILLIAM B. WATTS, *Chief Inspector.* Salary, $2,500.

Capt. JOSEPH DUGAN, *Assistant.*

WALTER A. ABBOTT, THOMAS J. BARRY, JOSEPH D. BOGAN, WILLIAM BURKE, CORNELIUS T. CLEARY, WILLIAM H. COGAN, JAMES J. COLLINS, ALFRED N. DOUGLAS, PATRICK J. GADDIS, CHARLES GLIDDEN, JOHN H. HARRIS, ANDREW HOUGHTON, JOHN L. HOWARD, MICHAEL J. KELLY, JOSEPH H. KNOX, WILLIAM T. LEGGETT, PATRICK A. MAHONEY, LEBEUS B. MCCAUSLAND, JOHN R. MCGARR, GEORGE F. PINKERTON, GEORGE M. ROBINSON, MICHAEL C. SHIELDS, OLIVER J. WISE, *Inspectors.* Salary, $1,600 each.

SPECIAL SERVICE AT HEADQUARTERS.

Capt. THOMAS H. BROWN, Lieut. JASON W. BUTTERS, Sergt. GEORGE E. SAXTON, *Special Service.*

Capt. THOMAS C. EVANS, Inspector CHARLES W. BOYER, *Special Street Service.*

Capt. WILLIAM H. DYER, *Inspector of Claims.*

Capt. GEORGE E. SAVORY, *Property Clerk.*

Lieut. JAMES O'NEILL, *Clerk in Superintendent's Office.*

Sergt. GEORGE MUNROE, *Medical Examiner's Assistant.*

JOHN WEIGEL, *Director of Signal Service.*

POLICE STATIONS.

FIRST DIVISION, *Hanover street.* Laurence Cain, *Captain.*

SECOND DIVISION, *Court square.* Edward F. Gaskin, *Captain.*

THIRD DIVISION, *Joy street.* George W. Wescott, *Captain.*

FOURTH DIVISION, *La Grange street.* George A. Wyman, *Captain.*

FIFTH DIVISION, *East Dedham street.* Ira C. Foster, *Captain.*

SIXTH DIVISION, *Broadway, near C street, South Boston.* Dennis Donovan, *Captain.*

SEVENTH DIVISION, *Meridian, near Paris street, East Boston.* Richard F. Irish, *Captain.*

EIGHTH DIVISION includes the islands in the harbor (see page 171) and the harbor service, *corner Commercial and Battery streets.* Byron F. Bragdon, *Deputy Superintendent and Harbor-Master.* John W. Jackson, Ithamer A. Mcreen, John J. Middleton, Nicholas C. Tallon, George H. Adams, Edward A. Pease, James Russell, Gorham H. Everbeck, Thomas Connor, John J. McCarthy, James Nannery, James H. O'Neill, Peter K. Smith, *Assistant Harbor-Masters.* (See Pub. Stat., Chap. 69; Stat. 1882, Chap. 216; 1889, Chap. 147.)

NINTH DIVISION, *Mt. Pleasant avenue and Dudley street.* Timothy A. Hurley, *Captain.*

TENTH DIVISION, *1163 Columbus avenue.* Frederick G. Hoffman, *Captain.*

ELEVENTH DIVISION, *corner Adams and Arcadia streets.* Charles W. Hunt, *Captain.*

TWELFTH DIVISION, *Fourth street, near K street, South Boston.* George A. Walker, *Captain.*

THIRTEENTH DIVISION, *Seaverns avenue, Jamaica Plain.* William H. Brown, *Captain.*

FOURTEENTH DIVISION, *Washington street, junction Cambridge street, Brighton.* Philemon D. Warren, *Captain.*

FIFTEENTH DIVISION, *Old City Hall, Charlestown.* Martin L. White, *Captain.*

SIXTEENTH DIVISION, *Boylston street, near Hereford street.* Henry Dawson, *Captain.*

HOUSE OF DETENTION. [Stat. 1887, Chap. 234.] *Basement of Court House, Pemberton square.* Emma Onthank, *Chief Matron.* Salary, $1,000.

CITY PRISON. [Pub. Stat., Chap. 28, § 27.] *Basement of Court House, Pemberton Square.* Romanzo H. Wilkins, *Keeper of the Lock-up.* Salary, $2,000.

Salaries: Captains, $2,000 per annum; lieutenants, $1,600 per annum; sergeants, $1,400 per annum; patrolmen, first year's service, $1,000; second year's service, $1,100; third and successive years' service, $1,200; reserve men, $2.00 per day, first year, $2.25 per day, second year, third year and after, $2.50 per day.

SCHOOL DEPARTMENT.

Rooms of the Committee, Mason street.

[Stat. 1875, Chap. 241; Stat. 1898, Chap. 400]

BOARD OF OFFICERS.

HENRY D. HUGGAN, *President.*
THORNTON D. APOLLONIO, *Secretary.* Salary, $3,300.
WILLIAM J. PORTER, *Auditing Clerk.* Salary, $3,300.
EDWIN P. SEAVER, *Superintendent.* Salary, $4,200.
ALVAH H. PETERS, *Messenger.*

SUPERVISORS.

ELLIS PETERSON,
ROBERT C. METCALF,
GEORGE H. CONLEY,
GEORGE H. MARTIN,
WALTER S. PARKER,
SARAH L. ARNOLD.

Salary of Supervisors, $3,780 each.

SCHOOL COMMITTEE.

Terms end in January, 1901.

EDWARD I. ALDRICH,
GEORGE W. ANDERSON,
CHARLES L. BURRILL,
SAMUEL H. CALDERWOOD,
SAMUEL E. COURTNEY,
ARCHIBALD T. DAVISON,
WILLIAM J. GALLIVAN,
THOMAS F. STRANGE.

Terms end in January, 1900.

FRANK E. BATEMAN,
WILLIAM H. BOWDLEAR,
FRANCIS L. COOLIDGE,
EMILY A. FIFIELD,
CHARLES FLEISCHER,
HENRY D. HUGGAN,
JAMES A. MCDONALD.

Terms end in January, 1899.

WILLARD S. ALLEN,
FANNY B. AMES,
I. AUSTIN BASSETT,
WILLIAM T. EATON,
SAMUEL F. HUBBARD,
ELIZABETH C. KELLER,
A. LAWRENCE LOWELL,
J. CARLTON NICHOLS,
ISAAC F. PAUL.

Eight members of the School Committee are elected annually at the city election, by the voters at large, including such women as may qualify for that purpose. Vacancies in the School Committee are filled for the remainder of the municipal year in a convention of the School Committee and the Board of Aldermen.

Regular meetings of the School Committee are held on the evenings of the second and fourth Tuesdays in each month, except in July and August.

STANDING COMMITTEES.

ACCOUNTS. — Willard S. Allen, *Chairman;* Messrs. Gallivan, Hubbard, Paul, and Nichols.

ANNUAL REPORT. — Francis L. Coolidge, *Chairman;* Mrs. Fifield and Mr. Aldrich.

COURSES OF STUDY AND TEXT-BOOKS. — James A. McDonald, *Chairman;* Mrs. Keller, Messrs. Allen, Anderson, and Mrs. Fifield.

EVENING SCHOOLS. — Isaac F. Paul, *Chairman;* Messrs. Anderson, Fleischer, McDonald, and Mrs. Ames.

HORACE MANN SCHOOL. — Elizabeth C. Keller, *Chairman;* Messrs. Fleischer, Bateman, Mrs. Fifield, and Mr. Nichols.

HYGIENE AND PHYSICAL TRAINING. — Samuel H. Calderwood, *Chairman;* Mrs. Ames, Messrs. Bateman, Burrill, and Fleischer.

LEGISLATIVE MATTERS. — A. Lawrence Lowell, *Chairman;* Messrs. Eaton, Bassett, Strange, and Paul.

NEW BUILDINGS. — William T. Eaton, *Chairman;* Messrs. Huggan, Aldrich, Bassett, and Courtney.

RULES AND REGULATIONS. — George W. Anderson, *Chairman;* Messrs. Hubbard, Gallivan, Lowell, and Bowdlear.

SALARIES. — I. Austin Bassett, *Chairman;* Mrs. Keller, Messrs. Burrill, Aldrich, and Nichols.

SCHOOL-HOUSES. — Thomas F. Strange, *Chairman;* Messrs. Lowell, Coolidge, Davison, and Hubbard.

SUPPLIES. — Archibald T. Davison, *Chairman;* Messrs. Huggan, Calderwood, Coolidge, and Courtney.

TRUANT-OFFICERS. — Samuel F. Hubbard, *Chairman;* Messrs. McDonald, Bowdlear, Bateman, and Burrill.

NORMAL AND HIGH SCHOOLS COMMITTEES.

NORMAL SCHOOL. — Samuel E. Courtney, *Chairman;* Mrs. Ames, Messrs. Aldrich, Bowdlear, and Huggan.

HIGH SCHOOLS. — Samuel H. Calderwood, *Chairman;* Messrs. Allen, Davison, Mrs. Fifield, and Mr. Gallivan.

DIVISION COMMITTEES.

FIRST DIVISION. — Willard S. Allen, *Chairman;* Messrs. Bateman, Huggan, McDonald, and Nichols.

SECOND DIVISION. — James A. McDonald, *Chairman;* Messrs. Allen, Bateman, Hubbard, and Huggan.

THIRD DIVISION. — Samuel F. Hubbard, *Chairman;* Mrs. Ames, Messrs. Burrill, Courtney, and Paul.

FOURTH DIVISION. — Isaac F. Paul, *Chairman;* Messrs. Burrill, Coolidge, Eaton, and Lowell.

FIFTH DIVISION. — William J. Gallivan, *Chairman;* Mrs. Ames, Messrs. Calderwood, Courtney, and Fleischer.

Sixth Division. — William T. Eaton, *Chairman;* Messrs. Bowdlear, Davison, Gallivan, and Nichols.

Seventh Division. — I. Austin Bassett, *Chairman;* Messrs. Aldrich, Calderwood, Eaton, and Strange.

Eighth Division. — Elizabeth C. Keller, *Chairman;* Messrs. Aldrich, Anderson, Bowdlear, and Coolidge.

Ninth Division. — Emily A. Fifield, *Chairman;* Messrs. Bassett, Davison, Fleischer, and Strange.

SCHOOLS.

Normal School and Rice Training School.

Public Latin School, Girls' Latin School; English High, Girls' High, Roxbury High, Dorchester High, Charlestown High, West Roxbury High, Brighton High, and East Boston High Schools; and Mechanic Arts High School.

First Division. — Adams, Chapman, Emerson, Lyman.

Second Division. — Bunker Hill, Frothingham, Harvard, Prescott, Warren.

Third Division. — Bowdoin, Eliot, Hancock, Phillips, Wells.

Fourth Division. — Brimmer, Prince, Quincy, Winthrop.

Fifth Division. — Dwight, Everett, Franklin, Hyde, Sherwin.

Sixth Division. — Bigelow, Gaston, John A. Andrew, Lawrence, Lincoln, Norcross, Shurtleff, Thomas N. Hart.

Seventh Division. — Comins, Dearborn, Dillaway, Dudley, George Putnam, Hugh O'Brien, Lewis, Martin.

Eighth Division. — Agassiz, Bennett, Bowditch, Charles Sumner, Longfellow, Lowell, Robert G. Shaw, Washington Allston.

Ninth Division. — Christopher Gibson, Edward Everett, Gilbert Stuart, Henry L. Pierce, Mary Hemenway, Mather, Minot, Roger Clap Tileston.

SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS.

Edwin P. Seaver, Waban, Mass. Office hours, Mondays to Fridays, 1 to 2 P.M.

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS.

Ellis Peterson, 305 Chestnut avenue, near Green street, Jamaica Plain. Office hour, Thursday, 4.30 to 5.30 P.M.

Robert C. Metcalf, 17 Kenwood street, Dorchester. Office hour, Saturday, 11 A.M. to 12 M.

George H. Conley, Osborn road, Brookline. Office hour, Monday, 4.30 P.M.

George H. Martin, 388 Summer street, Lynn. Office hour, Thursday, 4.30 to 5.30 P.M.

Walter S. Parker, Reading. Office hour, Wednesday, 4.30 to 5.30 P.M.

Sarah L. Arnold, 16 Institution avenue, Newton Centre. Office hour, Wednesday, 4.30 to 5.30 P.M.

Office hours at School Committee Building, Mason street.

Regular meetings of the Board of Supervisors on the Monday following each regular meeting of the School Committee, at 9 o'clock A.M.

TRUANT–OFFICERS.

These officers are appointed by the School Committee and under their directions enforce the laws relating to truant children and absentees from school. They are also constables, and serve without bonds.

George Murphy, *Chief*, 14 Common street, Boston.

George W. Bean, 42 Sagamore street, Dorchester. Edward Everett, Mather and Roger Clap Districts.

Henry M. Blackwell, 107 Brook avenue, Dorchester. Dillaway, Dudley and Lowell Districts.

James Bragdon, 125 K street, South Boston. Gaston, Lincoln and Thomas N. Hart Districts.

Frank Hasey, 2 Dyer street, Dorchester. Dearborn, George Putnam and Lewis Districts.

John T. Hathaway, 151 Trenton street, East Boston. Bunker Hill and Warren Districts.*

Abraham M. Leavitt, 87 West Cottage street, Dorchester. Dwight, Everett, Franklin and Rice Districts.

James P. Leeds, 14 Common street. Chapman and Emerson Districts.

David F. Long, 71 Moulton street, Charlestown. Bowdoin, Phillips, Prince and Wells Districts.

John McCrillis, 16 Glenwood street, Roxbury. Eliot and Hancock Districts.

Amos Schaffer, 695 Washington street, Dorchester. Bigelow, Lawrence and Norcross Districts.

William B. Shea, 33 Harvard street, Dorchester. Christopher Gibson, Gilbert Stuart, Henry L. Pierce, Mary Hemenway, Minot and Tileston Districts.

Warren J. Stokes, corner of Centre and Corey streets, West Roxbury. Agassiz, Bowditch, Charles Sumner, Longfellow and Robert G. Shaw Districts.

Daniel J. Sweeney, 237 Webster street, East Boston. Comins, Hyde, Martin and Sherwin Districts.

Charles E. Turner, 741 Saratoga street, East Boston. Adams and Lyman Districts.

Richard W. Walsh, 5 Woodville street, Roxbury. Brimmer, Quincy and Winthrop Districts.

John H. Westfall, Allston Club. Bennett and Washington Allston Districts.

Charles B. Wood, Burlingame way, Roslindale. Hugh O'Brien, John A. Andrew and Shurtleff Districts.

Charles S. Woofindale, 83 Green street, Charlestown. Frothingham, Harvard and Prescott Districts.

Truant Office, 14 Common street. Office hour from 1 to 2 P.M.

* Deceased.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS, TEACHERS AND PUPILS.

January 31, 1898.

General Schools.	No. of Schools.	No. of Regular Teachers.			Average No. Pupils Belonging.	Average Attendance.	Average Absence.	Per cent. of Attendance.	No. at Date.
		Men.	Women.	Total.					
Normal	1	2	9	11	292	282	10	97	269
Latin and High	11	77	87	164	5,025	4,779	246	95	4,871
Grammar	57	121	674	795	37,229	34,548	2,681	93	37,240
Primary	547	.....	547	547	28,685	25,360	3,325	88	29,256
Kindergartens	67	.....	127	127	3,864	2,882	982	75	3,925
Totals	683	200	1,444	1,644	75,095	67,851	7,244	90	75,561

Special Schools.	No. of Schools.	No. of Regular Teachers.	Average No. Pupils Belonging.	Average Attendance.	Average Absence.	Per cent. of Attendance.	No. at Date.
Horace Mann	1	12	109	97	12	89.0	115
Spectacle Island	1	1	23	21	2	91.3	22
Evening High: Central	1	26	1,887	1,512	375	80.1	
Charlestown Branch[1]	.....	6	240	177	63	73.7	
East Boston Branch[1]	.....	6	169	127	42	75.1	
South Boston Branch	.....	6	186	122	64	65.6	
Evening Elementary	12	145	3,413	2,077	1,336	60.8	
Evening Drawing	5	26	516	400	116	77.5	
Totals	20	228	6,543	4,533	2,010	69.3	137

[1] In session three nights a week: Monday, Wednesday, Friday.

HOLIDAYS AND VACATIONS.

Every Saturday; the first Monday in September; the half-day before Thanksgiving day and the remainder of the week; the half-day before Christmas; one week, commencing with Christmas day; New Year's day; the twenty-second of February; Good Friday; the nineteenth of

April; the week immediately preceding the second Monday in April; Decoration day; the seventeenth of June; and to the Primary Schools from the Friday preceding the week of graduating exercises of the schools in June, and to the Normal High and Grammar Schools from their respective graduating exercises to the Tuesday following the first Monday in September.

For the list of the Medical Inspectors of Schools see Health Department, page 58.

A full list of the schools and teachers will be found in the "Manual of the Public Schools of the City of Boston, 1898," copies of which may be obtained of the School Committee.

SPECIAL LAW DEPARTMENT.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS.

PATRICK A. COLLINS.
ALBERT E. PILLSBURY.

The Board was appointed by the Mayor as a special commission to draft a revision or consolidation of all the special laws relating to the city.

UNDERTAKERS.

Appointed annually by the Board of Health, in accordance with Stat. 1890, Chap. 210, Sect. 1.

LIST OF UNDERTAKERS, CITY OF BOSTON.

Abrams, Barnett.
Alexander, Alexis.
Avdon, Michael.
Badaracco, Andrew A.
Balfe, Thomas J.
Banks, Walden.
Barry, Michael.
Belgard, Philip.
Bennison, Charles E.
Bernstein, Moses H.
Brady, Patrick J.
Briggs, Frederick L.
Brown, Charles R.
Brown, Edwin G.
Brown, Frank E.
Bryant, John E.
Bryant, T. Weston.
Burke, Edmund C.
Burke, John B.
Callahan, Timothy F.
Calnan, Joseph P.
Cangiano, Michael.
Caro, Solomon M.
Casey, Francis P.
Cassidy, William J.
Chester, Charles E.
Clark, William C.
Cleary, J. P.
Cobb, Charles W.
Cobb, Frank L.
Colbert, Charles E.
Cole, George S.
Cole, Harry H.
Connell, Austin H.
Costello, W. P.
Crane, F. E.
Crane, Horace R.
Crogan, James P.
Crosby, Elizabeth A.
Crosby, Joseph P.
Dacey, C. M.
Dolan, James W.
Donovan, Patrick J.
Dooley, David J.
Doolin, John.
Doyle, Thomas.

Eastman, Alman L.
Fallon, John D.
Farrell, Michael A.
Feeley, Thomas.
Feeney, John.
Field, George V.
Fitzgibbon, Edward D.
Gallivan, Joseph C.
Garno, Mrs. M. E.
Gilmore, Edward J.
Gleason, E. F.
Gleason, R.
Glidden, Charles S.
Gridley, W. A.
Guggenheim, Joseph.
Harrigan, Daniel P.
Hatch, Henry S.
Haynes, James.
Hill, George.
Hogue, Alphonse.
Jacobovitz, Myer.
Jacobs, Louis.
Jones, Lewis L.
Keating, Thomas J.
Kelly, Bernard.
Kelly, Michael J.
Kelly, Thomas J.
Kennedy, P. T.
King, Robert J.
Lane, Thomas J.
Langone, Joseph A.
Lavery, Frank W.
Lavery, John W.
Leary, Lewis W.
Levine, Michael.
Lewis, Fred H.
Linnehan, C. P.
Lippa, William.
Maloney, Frank S.
Mann, Lewis A.
Marsh, W. W.
Maunheimer, Herman.
McCaffrey, Christopher P.
McCaffrey, John.
McCarthy, Marcus B.
McCartney, Timothy.
McCugh, Hugh.
McMackin, Bernard.
Metcalf, Eugene H.
Mitchell, M. J.
Morris, Jerome S.
Morris, John.
Morris, John J.
Muldoon, Joseph L.
Mullen, James.
Mullen, M. J.
Mullen, Patrick H.
Murphy, Michael J.
Murray, E. A.
Nolan, John E.
O'Donnell, James F.
Peak, John H.
Peak, John H., Jr.
Pierce, Edward J.
Rafferty, Patrick H.
Raftery, Thomas E.
Reade, George E.
Reade, Vincent de P.
Reade, Vincent de P., Jr.
Regan, Martin.
Ring, Timothy F.
Roach, Edward E.
Roeder, John R.
Roles, Roswell.
Ryan, Stephen D.
Smith, Benjamin F.
Smith, Samuel G.
Spencer, W. F.
Sprague, John W.
Stokes, Waldo J.
Sullivan, J. F.
Sullivan, Samuel J.
Sullivan, T. J.
Tinkham, Charles F.
Tinkham, Jeremiah.
Vinal, Frederick.
Waterman, Frank S.
Waterman, George H.
Watson, Bernard L.
Willard, George A.
Williams, N. M.
Williamson, Joseph.
Wittenberg, Solomon.

WORKINGMEN'S LOAN ASSOCIATION.

[Stat. 1888, Chap. 108, § 4.]

The Workingmen's Loan Association is managed by sixteen directors, selected annually, fourteen chosen by corporators at annual meeting on the third Thursday in April, one appointed by the Governor, and one appointed by the Mayor.

CHARLES C. JACKSON, *Director*. Appointed by the Mayor.

NEW WARDS.

New wards were established for the city in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, the first division into new wards since the year 1875.[1] An attempt was made by the City Council to make a new division of wards in the year 1885, and an ordinance to that effect was prepared by a special committee appointed for the purpose and passed by the City Council, and approved by the Mayor.[2] Certain questions were raised, however, in the General Court of 1886, relative to establishing State, senatorial and representative districts, and as to whether such districts should be established according to the territorial boundaries of cities and towns and their wards as they existed on the first day of May, 1885, or whether new ward lines, as in the case of the city of Boston, should be followed. On May 21, 1886, the opinion of the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court was asked by the Legislature on this matter, and they decided that the district divisions referred to must be made according to territorial and other boundaries existing on the first day of May, 1885, and that the new ward divisions were illegal.[3] On account of this decision of the Justices of the Supreme Judicial Court, an act was passed by the Legislature in June, 1886,[4] which provided that the several wards, precincts, and assessment districts of the several cities of the Commonwealth, existing May 1, 1885, should be established as the wards, precincts, and assessment districts of said cities, any acts or ordinances of the city councils of said cities to the contrary notwithstanding. The new division of wards was thus set aside and the ward lines established in 1875 remained in effect until they were changed in 1895, and established under the provisions of Chap. 417, of the Acts of 1893, as follows:

WARD ONE.

Beginning at the intersection of the Harbor Commissioners' line and the division line dividing the property of the Alonzo Crosby heirs and Richard F. Green; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the

[1] An ordinance providing for a new division of the city into wards, passed Nov. 16, 1857. An ordinance to make Breed's Island, so-called, part of Ward 1, passed Dec. 4, 1875. By Chap. 242, of the Acts of 1876, the City Council were directed to divide Ward Twenty-two into two wards to be called Wards 22 and 25. The division was accordingly made by an ordinance passed May 27, 1876.

[2] An ordinance making a new division of the city into wards, passed Dec. 23, 1885. [Doc. 174 of 1885.]

[3] Mass. Reports, vol. 142, p. 601.

[4] An act to establish wards, precincts and assessment districts in the cities of the Commonwealth, Chap. 283, Acts of 1886.

boundary line between Boston and Chelsea and the boundary line between Boston and Revere and the boundary line between Boston and Winthrop to the shore line of Boston; thence by said line to Front street; thence through the centre of Front street to Marion street; thence through the centre of Marion street to Bennington street; thence through the centre of Bennington street to Central square; thence across Central square to Border street; thence through the centre of Border street to the dividing line between the property of the Alonzo Crosby heirs and Richard F. Green; thence by said line to the point of beginning.

WARD TWO.

Beginning at the intersection of the Harbor Commissioners' line and the division line dividing the property of the Alonzo Crosby heirs and Richard F. Green; thence by said line to Border street; thence through the centre of Border street to Central square; thence across Central square to Bennington street; thence through the centre of Bennington street to Marion street; thence through the centre of Marion street to Front street; thence through the centre of Front street to Porter street; thence through the centre of Porter street to the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of said railroad to the shore line; thence by the shore line to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the point of beginning. The islands in Boston harbor are included in Ward Two.

WARD THREE.

Beginning at the intersection of High and Pearl streets in that part of the city known as Charlestown; thence by the centre of Pearl street to Medford street; thence by the centre of Medford street to the easterly line of Brooks' wharf; thence by said line extended to the boundary line in the Mystic river between Boston and Everett; thence along said boundary line and the line of the boundary between Boston and Chelsea to the easterly side of Chelsea bridge; thence by the water to the south-westerly boundary line of the Navy Yard; thence by the south-westerly boundary line of the Navy Yard to Chelsea street; thence across Chelsea and Adams streets to Mt. Vernon street; thence through the centre of Mt. Vernon street to Mt. Vernon avenue; thence through the centre of Mt. Vernon avenue and Chestnut street to the street on the easterly side of Monument square; thence through the centre of said last described street to the street on the southerly side of Monument square; thence through the centre of said last described street and the centre of High street to the point of beginning.

WARD FOUR.

Beginning at the intersection of Lincoln street extended and the boundary line between Boston and Somerville; thence by said boundary line to the boundary line between Boston and Everett; thence by said

boundary line to the extension of the easterly line of Brooks' wharf; thence by said line to Medford street; thence through the centre of Medford street to Pearl street; thence through the centre of Pearl street to High street; thence through the centre of High street to Walker street; thence through the centre of Walker street to Main street; thence through the centre of Main street to Lincoln street; thence through the centre of Lincoln street and Lincoln street extended to the point of beginning.

WARD FIVE.

Beginning at the intersection of Lincoln street extended and the boundary line between Boston and Somerville; thence through the centre of Lincoln street extended and Lincoln street to Main street; thence through the centre of Main street to Walker street; thence through the centre of Walker street to High street; thence through the centre of High street and the street on the southerly side of Monument square to the street on the easterly side of Monument square; thence through the centre of said street to Chestnut street; thence through the centre of Chestnut street and Mt. Vernon avenue to Mt. Vernon street; thence through the centre of Mt. Vernon street to Adams street; thence across Adams and Chelsea streets to the south-westerly boundary line of the Navy Yard; thence by said boundary line to the water; thence by the water to the boundary line between Boston and Cambridge; thence by said boundary line and the boundary line between Boston and Somerville to the point of beginning.

WARD SIX.

Beginning at the intersection of Beacon street and Bowdoin street; thence through the centre of Bowdoin street to Cambridge street; thence through the centre of Cambridge street to Bowdoin square; thence across Bowdoin square to Chardon street; thence through the centre of Chardon street to Portland street; thence through the centre of Portland street to Travers street; thence through the centre of Travers street to Charlestown street; thence through the centre of Charlestown street to Causeway street; thence through the centre of Causeway street to Prince street; thence through the centre of Prince street to Charles-river bridge; thence through the centre of Charles-river bridge to the water; thence by the water and Harbor Commissioners' line to the southerly side of Long wharf; thence by said line to Atlantic avenue; thence through the centre of Atlantic avenue to Central street; thence through the centre of Central street to India street; thence through the centre of India street to Milk street; thence through the centre of Milk street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to School street; thence through the centre of School street and Beacon street to point of beginning.

WARD SEVEN.

Beginning at the intersection of Charles street and Beacon street; thence through the centre of Beacon street and School street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Milk street; thence through the centre of Milk street to India street; thence through the centre of India street to Central street; thence through the centre of Central street to Atlantic avenue; thence through the centre of Atlantic avenue to the southerly side of Long wharf; thence by said line to Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by Harbor Commissioners' line and the centre of Fort Point channel to Broadway; thence through the centre of Broadway to Way street; thence through the centre of Way street to Harrison avenue; thence through the centre of Harrison avenue to Mott street; thence through the centre of Mott street and Castle street to Tremont street; thence through the centre of Tremont street to Pleasant street; thence through the centre of Pleasant street to Columbus avenue; thence through the centre of Columbus avenue to Park square; thence across Park square to Charles street; thence through the centre of Charles street to the point of beginning.

WARD EIGHT.

Beginning at the intersection of Beacon street and Joy street; thence through the centre of Joy street to Cambridge street; thence through the centre of Cambridge street and West Boston bridge to the centre of Charles river; thence through the centre of Charles river to Charles-river bridge; thence through the centre of Charles-river bridge to Prince street; thence through the centre of Prince street to Causeway street; thence through the centre of Causeway street to Charlestown street; thence through the centre of Charlestown street to Travers street; thence through the centre of Travers street to Portland street; thence through the centre of Portland street to Chardon street; thence through the centre of Chardon street to Bowdoin square; thence across Bowdoin square to Cambridge street; thence through the centre of Cambridge street to Bowdoin street; thence through the centre of Bowdoin street to Beacon street; thence through the centre of Beacon street to the point of beginning.

WARD NINE.

Beginning at the intersection of West Dedham and Tremont streets; thence through the centre of Tremont street to Castle street; thence through the centre of Castle street and Mott street to Harrison avenue; thence through the centre of Harrison avenue to Way street; thence through the centre of Way street to Broadway; thence through the centre of Broadway to Fort Point channel; thence by Fort Point channel to the southerly side of Dover-street bridge; thence by the southerly side of Dover-street bridge to the Harbor Commissioners' line on the easterly side of Fort Point channel; thence by

said line to the New York & New England Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the New York & New England Railroad to East Brookline street extended; thence through the centre of East Brookline street extended to the shore line; thence by the shore line to the extension of East Canton street; thence through the centre of East Canton-street extension and East Canton street to Shawmut avenue; thence through the centre of Shawmut avenue to West Dedham street; thence through the centre of West Dedham street to the point of beginning.

WARD TEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the centre of Muddy river and Boylston road; thence through the centre of Boylston road to Boylston street; thence through the centre of Boylston street to Exeter street; thence through the centre of Exeter street to Blagden street; thence through the centre of Blagden street to Copley square; thence across Copley square to St. James avenue; thence through St. James avenue to Berkeley street; thence through the centre of Berkeley street to Providence street; thence through the centre of Providence street to Park square; thence across Park square to Pleasant street; thence through the centre of Pleasant street to Tremont street; thence through the centre of Tremont street to Dartmouth street; thence through the centre of Dartmouth street to Warren avenue; thence through the centre of Warren avenue to Columbus square; thence across Columbus square to West Newton street; thence through the centre of West Newton street to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Rogers avenue; thence through the centre of Rogers avenue to Huntington avenue; thence through the centre of Huntington avenue to the Huntington entrance to Back Bay Fens; thence through the centre of said entrance to the centre of Muddy river; thence through the centre of Muddy river to the point of beginning.

WARD ELEVEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the centre of Charles river and St. Mary's street extended; thence through the centre of Charles river to the West Boston bridge; thence through the centre of West Boston bridge and Cambridge street to Joy street; thence through the centre of Joy street to Beacon street; thence through the centre of Beacon street to Charles street; thence through the centre of Charles street to Park square; thence across Park square to Providence street; thence through the centre of Providence street to Berkeley street; thence through the centre of Berkeley street to St. James avenue; thence through the centre of St. James avenue to Copley square; thence across Copley square to Blagden street; thence through the centre of Blagden street to Exeter street; thence through the centre of Exeter street

to Boylston street; thence through the centre of Boylston street and Boylston road to Muddy river; thence through the centre of Muddy river to extension of St. Mary's street; thence through the centre of the extension of St. Mary's street and St. Mary's street and St. Mary's street extended to the point of beginning.

WARD TWELVE.

Beginning at the intersection of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and West Newton street; thence through the centre of West Newton street to Columbus square; thence across Columbus square to Warren avenue; thence through the centre of Warren avenue to Dartmouth street; thence through the centre of Dartmouth street and West Dedham street to Shawmut avenue; thence through the centre of Shawmut avenue to East Canton street; thence through the centre of East Canton street and East Canton street extended to the shore line; thence by the shore line and the centre of the Roxbury canal to Massachusetts avenue; thence through the centre of Massachusetts avenue to Albany street; thence through the centre of Albany street to Northampton street; thence through the centre of Northampton street to Fellows street; thence through the centre of Fellows street to East Lenox street; thence through the centre of East Lenox street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Camden street; thence through the centre of Camden street to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad to the point of beginning.

WARD THIRTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of F street extended and the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence through the centre of F street extended and F street to West Broadway; thence through the centre of West Broadway to E street; thence through the centre of E street to the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to D street; thence through the centre of D street to Dorchester avenue; thence through the centre of Dorchester avenue to the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the New York & New England Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the New York & New England Railroad to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by said line to the southerly side of Dover-street bridge; thence by the southerly side of said bridge to the centre of Fort Point channel; thence through the centre of Fort Point channel to Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the point of beginning.

WARD FOURTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of F street extended and the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the southern extension of K street; thence through the centre of K street extended and K street to East Sixth street; thence through the centre of East Sixth street to H street; thence through the centre of H street to East Broadway; thence through the centre of East Broadway to Dorchester street; thence through the centre of West Broadway to F street; thence through the centre of F street and F street extended to the point of beginning.

WARD FIFTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the New York & New England Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Dorchester avenue; thence through the centre of Dorchester avenue to D street; thence through the centre of D street to the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to E street; thence through the centre of E street to West Broadway; thence through the centre of West Broadway to Dorchester street; thence through the centre of East Broadway to H street; thence through the centre of H street to East Sixth street; thence through the centre of East Sixth street to K street; thence through the centre of K street and K street extended to Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by Harbor Commissioners' line to proposed Strandway; thence through the centre of proposed Strandway to Old Harbor street extension; thence through the centre of Old Harbor street extension and Old Harbor street to Burnham street; thence through the centre of Burnham street to Mercer street; thence through the centre of Mercer street to Newman street; thence through the centre of Newman street to Dorchester street; thence through the centre of Dorchester street to Andrew square; thence across Andrew square to Swett street; thence through the centre of Swett street to the New York & New England Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the New York and New England Railroad to the point of beginning.

WARD SIXTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the New York & New England Railroad and Swett street; thence through the centre of Swett street to Andrew square; thence across Andrew square to Dorchester street; thence through the centre of Dorchester street to Newman street; thence through the centre of Newman street to Mercer street; thence through the centre of Mercer street to Burnham street; thence through the centre of Burnham street to Old Harbor street; thence through the

centre of Old Harbor street and Old Harbor street extended to the proposed Strandway; thence through the proposed Strandway to the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Crescent avenue; thence through the centre of Crescent avenue and East Cottage street to Boston street; thence through the centre of Boston and Columbia streets to Quincy street; thence through the centre of Quincy street to Blue Hill avenue; thence through the centre of Blue Hill avenue to West Cottage street; thence through the centre of West Cottage street and East Cottage street to the New York & New England Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the New York & New England Railroad to the point of beginning.

WARD SEVENTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of Washington street and East Lenox street; thence through the centre of East Lenox street to Fellows street; thence through the centre of Fellows street to Northampton street; thence through the centre of Northampton street to Albany street; thence through the centre of Albany street to Massachusetts avenue; thence through the centre of Massachusetts avenue to the Roxbury canal; thence through the Roxbury canal to East Brookline street extended; thence through the centre of East Brookline street extended to the New York & New England Railroad; thence by the centre of the location of the New York & New England Railroad to East Cottage street; thence through the centre of East Cottage and West Cottage streets to Blue Hill avenue; thence through the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Moreland street; thence through the centre of Moreland street to Warren street; thence through the centre of Warren street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to the point of beginning.

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Camden street; thence through the centre of Camden street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Warren street; thence through the centre of Warren street to Dudley street; thence through the centre of Dudley street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Bartlett street; thence through the centre of Bartlett street to Eliot square; thence through the centre of Roxbury street to Gay street; thence through the centre of Gay street to Linden Park street; thence through the centre of Linden Park street to Tremont street; thence through the centre of Tremont street to Prentiss street; thence through the centre of Prentiss street to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Rail-

road; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the point of beginning.

WARD NINETEEN.

Beginning at the intersection of the boundary line between Brookline and Boston and Jamaicaway; thence by said boundary line and the centre of Muddy river to the extension of the Huntington entrance to Back Bay Fens; thence by said entrance to Huntington avenue; thence through the centre of Huntington avenue to Rogers avenue; thence through the centre of Rogers avenue to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Prentiss street; thence through the centre of Prentiss street to Tremont street; thence through the centre of Tremont street to Linden Park street; thence through the centre of Linden Park street to Gay street; thence through the centre of Gay street to Roxbury street; thence through the centre of Roxbury street to Eliot square; thence across Eliot square to Highland street; thence through the centre of Highland street to Marcella street; thence through the centre of Marcella street to Centre street; thence through the centre of Centre street to New Heath street; thence through the centre of New Heath street and Heath street to Bickford street; thence through the centre of Bickford street to Minden street; thence through the centre of Minden street to Day street; thence through the centre of Day street to Grotto Glen; thence through the centre of Grotto Glen and Grotto Glen extended to Jamaicaway; thence through the centre of Jamaicaway to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY.

Beginning at the intersection of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and proposed Strandway; thence by the said Strandway to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to Greenwich street extended; thence through the centre of Greenwich street extended and Greenwich street to Dorchester avenue; thence through the centre of Dorchester avenue to Centre avenue; thence through the centre of Centre avenue and Centre street to Talbot avenue; thence through the centre of Talbot avenue to Blue Hill avenue; thence through the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Quincy street; thence through the centre of Quincy street to Columbia street; thence through the centre of Columbia street and Boston street to Edward Everett square; thence through the centre of East Cottage street and Crescent avenue to the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY-ONE.

Beginning at Eliot square at the intersection of Highland street and Bartlett street; thence through the centre of Bartlett street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street and Dudley street to Warren street; thence through the centre of Warren street to Moreland street; thence through the centre of Moreland street to Blue Hill avenue; thence through the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Seaver street; thence through the centre of Seaver street to Walnut avenue; thence through the centre of Walnut avenue to Westminster avenue; thence through the centre of Westminster avenue to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Valentine street; thence through the centre of Valentine street to Thornton street; thence through the centre of Thornton street to Ellis street; thence through the centre of Ellis street to Hawthorn street; thence through the centre of Hawthorn street to Highland street; thence through the centre of Highland street to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY-TWO.

Beginning at the intersection of the boundary line between Brookline and Boston and Jamaicaway; thence through the centre of Jamaicaway to the extension of Grotto Glen; thence through the centre of the extension of Grotto Glen and Grotto Glen to Day street; thence through the centre of Day street to Minden street; thence through the centre of Minden street to Bickford street; thence through the centre of Bickford street to Heath street; thence through the centre of Heath street and New Heath street to Centre street; thence through the centre of Centre street to Marcella street; thence through the centre of Marcella street and Highland street to Hawthorn street; thence through the centre of Hawthorn street to Ellis street; thence through the centre of Ellis street to Thornton street; thence through the centre of Thornton street to Valentine street; thence through the centre of Valentine street to Washington street; thence through the centre of Washington street to Westminster avenue; thence through the centre of Westminster avenue to Walnut avenue; thence through the centre of Walnut avenue and Sigourney street to Glen road; thence through the centre of Glen road and Green street to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Carolina avenue; thence through the centre of Carolina avenue to South street; thence through the centre of South street to Centre street; thence through the centre of Centre street to Myrtle street; thence through the centre of Myrtle street to Pond street; thence through the centre of Pond street to Jamaicaway; thence through the centre of Jamaicaway to Perkins street; thence through the centre of Perkins street to Chestnut street; thence through the centre of Chestnut street to the boundary line between Brookline and Boston; thence by said line to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY-THREE.

Beginning at the intersection of the boundary line between Brookline and Boston and Perkins street; thence through the centre of Perkins street to Jamaicaway; thence through the centre of Jamaicaway to Pond street; thence through the centre of Pond street to Myrtle street; thence through the centre of Myrtle street to Centre street; thence through the centre of Centre street to South street; thence through the centre of South street to Carolina avenue, to the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence through the centre of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Green street; thence through the centre of Green street and Glen road to Sigourney street; thence through the centre of Sigourney street and Walnut avenue to Seaver street; thence through the centre of Seaver street to Blue Hill avenue; thence through the centre of Blue Hill avenue to Back street; thence through the centre of Back street to the boundary line between Hyde Park and Boston; thence by the said boundary and the boundary line between Boston and Dedham, and the boundary line between Boston and Newton, and the boundary line between Boston and Brookline to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY-FOUR.

Beginning at the intersection of Greenwich street extended and the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the boundary line between Boston and Quincy; thence by the said boundary line and the boundary line between Boston and Milton and the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park to Back street; thence through the centre of Back street to Talbot avenue; thence through the centre of Talbot avenue to Centre street; thence through the centre of Centre street and Centre avenue to Dorchester avenue; thence through the centre of Dorchester avenue to Greenwich street; thence through the centre of Greenwich street and Greenwich street extended to the point of beginning.

WARD TWENTY-FIVE.

Beginning at the intersection of St. Mary's street extended and the boundary line between Cambridge and Boston; thence by St. Mary's street extended to the boundary line between Brookline and Boston; thence by said boundary line and the boundary line between Newton and Boston, and the boundary line between Watertown and Boston, and the boundary line between Cambridge and Boston to the point of beginning.

PRECINCTS OF NEW WARDS.

The new wards established by Chap. 2 of the Ordinances of 1895 were divided into precincts by the Board of Aldermen, as follows:

WARD ONE.

Nine Precincts — 3,897 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Marion and Bennington streets; thence by the centre line of Bennington street to Central square; thence across Central square to Border street; thence by the centre lines of Border, Eutaw, Meridian, Lexington, and Marion streets to the point of beginning — 430 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Marion and Lexington streets; thence by the centre lines of Lexington, Meridian, Eutaw, Brooks, Saratoga, and Marion streets to the point of beginning — 427 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of Brooks and Eutaw streets; thence by the centre lines of Eutaw and Border streets to the ward line separating Ward One from Ward Two; thence by said ward line through Boston harbor to the centre line of Meridian-street bridge; thence by the centre line of Meridian-street bridge; thence by the centre line of said bridge and the centre lines of Condor and Brooks streets to the point of beginning — 483 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Lexington and Brooks streets; thence by the centre lines of Brooks and Condor streets and Meridian-street bridge to the ward line in Chelsea creek; thence by said ward line to the line separating the Third from the Fourth sections, as shown by the plans of the East Boston Company; thence by said line to the centre line of Eagle street; thence by the centre lines of Eagle, Trenton, Prescott, and Lexington streets to the point of beginning — 451 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Brooks and Lexington streets; thence by the centre lines of Lexington, Prescott, Chelsea, Putnam, Bennington, and Brooks streets to the point of beginning — 497 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Marion and Bennington streets; thence by the centre lines of Marion, Saratoga, Brooks, Bennington, and Putnam streets, and Putnam street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line and the centre lines of Marion street extended and Marion street to the point of beginning — 456 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Putnam and Chelsea streets; thence by the centre lines of Chelsea, Prescott, Trenton, and Eagle streets to Eagle square; thence across Eagle square and by the centre lines of Chelsea street, Glendon place, Bremen, Saratoga and Swift streets, and Swift street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Putnam street extended; thence by said line of Putnam street extended and the centre line of Putnam street to the point of beginning — 490 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the ward line and Swift street extended; thence by the centre line of Swift street extended and the centre lines of Swift, Saratoga, and Bremen streets, Glendon place and Chelsea street to Eagle square; thence across Eagle square to the line separating Section Three from Section Four, as shown by the plans of the East Boston Company; thence by said line extended to the ward line in Chelsea creek; thence by said ward line through Chelsea creek and Boston harbor to the point of beginning — 490 voters.

Precinct Nine. — All that part of said ward known as Breed's island bounded by Chelsea creek, Belle Isle inlet, and Boston harbor — 173 voters.

WARD TWO.

Eight Precincts — 3,596 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Meridian and Gove streets; thence by the centre lines of Meridian street to Central square; thence across said square and by the centre lines of Porter, Orleans, Decatur, and Gove streets to the point of beginning — 479 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the centre line of New street extended and the ward line; thence by said ward line to the line separating Ward Two from Ward One; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Border street; thence by the centre line of Border street to Central square; thence across Central square and by the centre lines of Meridian, Maverick, Border, Cross, and New streets, and New street extended to the point of beginning — 450 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the centre line of Lewis street extended and the ward line; thence by said ward line to the centre line of New street extended; thence by the centre lines of New street extended, New, Cross, Border, and Maverick streets, Maverick square, Lewis street, and Lewis street extended to the point of beginning — 451 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the centre line of Orleans street extended and the ward line; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Lewis street extended and the centre lines of Lewis street, Maverick square, Meridian, Gove, Decatur, Orleans, Maverick, Cottage, Everett, and Orleans streets, and Orleans street extended to the point of beginning — 437 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the centre line of Cottage street extended and the ward line; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Orleans street extended; thence by said extended line and the centre lines of Orleans, Everett, and Cottage streets, and Cottage street extended to the point of beginning — 366 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston Harbor at the intersection of the centre line of Cottage street extended and the ward line; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Everett street extended; thence by said extended line and the centre lines of Everett, Lamson, Webster, and Cottage streets, and Cottage street extended to the point of beginning — 456 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the centre line of Everett street extended and the ward line; thence by said extended line and the centre lines of Everett, Lamson, Webster, Cottage, Maverick, Orleans, and Porter streets, and Porter street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning — 474 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the ward line and the centre line of Porter street extended; thence by said extended line and the centre lines of Porter, Bennington, and Marion streets, and Marion street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning, including the islands in Boston harbor — 483 voters.

WARD THREE.

Six Precincts — 3,036 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Cross and High streets; thence by the centre lines of High, Pearl, Bunker Hill, Trenton, and Cross streets to the point of beginning — 494 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Monument and Bunker Hill streets; thence by the centre lines of Bunker Hill, Pearl, Medford, and Monument streets to the point of beginning — 531 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bunker Hill and Edgeworth streets; thence by the centre lines of Edgeworth and Tremont streets, Monument square, High, Cross, Trenton, and Bunker Hill streets to the point of beginning — 477 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the Harbor Commissioners' line in Mystic river and Chelsea bridge; thence by the centre lines of Chelsea bridge, Chelsea, Medford, Corey, Moulton, Vine, Bunker Hill, Monument, and Medford streets, the ward line between Ward Three and Ward Four, and the Harbor Commissioners' line in Mystic river to the point of beginning — 523 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bainbridge and Chelsea streets; thence by the centre line of Chelsea street and the ward line between Wards Three and Five, Monument square, Tremont, Edgeworth, Bunker Hill, Vine, Decatur, and Bainbridge streets to the point of beginning — 540 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at Charles river at the line dividing Ward Three from Ward Five; thence following said ward line by the southwesterly boundary line of the Navy Yard to Chelsea street; thence by the centre lines of Chelsea, Bainbridge, Decatur, Vine, Moulton, Corey, Medford, and Chelsea streets, and the centre line of Chelsea bridge to the ward line; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning — 471 voters.

WARD FOUR.

Six Precincts — 2,795 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Pearl and Bunker Hill streets; thence by the centre lines of Bunker Hill, Quincy, Medford, and Pearl streets to the point of beginning — 491 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bunker Hill and Pearl streets; thence by the centre lines of Pearl, High, Walker, Main, and Lincoln streets, Rutherford avenue, Tibbetts Town Way, Hancock square, Eden, Russell, Walker, Wall, Sullivan, and Bunker Hill streets to the point of beginning — 446 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bunker Hill and Sullivan streets; thence by the centre lines of Sullivan, Wall, Walker, Russell, and Eden streets, Hancock square, Tibbetts Town Way, Rutherford avenue, Middlesex, Auburn, and Bunker Hill streets to the point of beginning — 517 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Medford and Quincy streets; thence by the centre lines of Quincy, Auburn, and Middlesex streets, Rutherford avenue, Thorndike, Main, Charles, Bunker Hill, Baldwin, and Medford streets to the point of beginning — 501 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the North channel in Mystic river, at the line dividing Ward Three from Ward Four; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Medford street; thence by the centre lines of Medford, Baldwin, Bunker Hill, Charles, Main, and Thorndike streets and Rutherford avenue to the centre line of location of Boston & Lowell Freight Railroad; thence by the said centre of location and the centre lines of Main street and Mystic avenue to the boundary line between Boston and Somerville; thence by said boundary line and the boundary line between Boston and Everett to the point of beginning — 444 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Rutherford avenue and the ward line between Wards Four and Five; thence by said ward line to the boundary line between Boston and Somerville; thence by said boundary line to the centre line of Mystic avenue; thence by the centre lines of Mystic avenue and Main street and the centre of the location of the Boston & Lowell Freight Railroad to the centre line of Rutherford avenue; thence by said centre line to the point of beginning — 396 voters.

WARD FIVE.

Six Precincts — 2,720 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Monument avenue and Main street; thence by the centre lines of Main, Walker, High, Pleasant, and Warren streets, and Monument avenue to the point of beginning — 431 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-

described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Chelsea street and City square; thence by the centre lines of City square, Main street, Monument avenue, Warren and Pleasant streets, Monument square, Chestnut street, Mt. Vernon avenue, Mt. Vernon, Adams, Common, Park, Joiner, and Chelsea streets to the point of beginning — 541 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at Charles river at the intersection of the centre line of Warren bridge with the ward line; thence by the centre lines of Warren bridge, Warren avenue, City square, Chelsea, Joiner, Park, Common, and Adams streets to the ward line; thence following the said ward line along the south-westerly boundary of the Navy Yard and through Charles river to the point of beginning — 470 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Warren bridge and the ward line separating Ward Five from Ward Eight; thence by the ward line of Ward Five to the centre line of Arrow street extended; thence by said centre line and the centre lines of Arrow, Bow, Devens, and Main streets, City square, Warren avenue, and Warren bridge to the point of beginning — 339 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Arrow street extended and the ward line; thence following the ward line to its intersection with the centre line of Austin street; thence by the centre lines of Austin and Chapman streets, Rutherford avenue, Austin, Main, Devens, Bow, and Arrow streets, and Arrow street extended to the point of beginning — 516 voters.

Precint Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Main and Austin streets; thence by the centre lines of Austin street, Rutherford avenue, Chapman and Austin streets to the ward line; thence by said ward line to the division line between Wards Four and Five; thence by said division line to its intersection with the centre line of Main street; thence by the centre line of Main street to the point of beginning — 423 voters.

WARD SIX.

Eight Precincts — 3,498 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the ward line and the centre line of Hanover street extended; thence by said centre line extended and the centre lines of Hanover, Commercial, and North streets, Hanover avenue, Charter, Foster, and Commercial streets, to the centre line of Charles-river bridge; thence by said centre line to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning — 400 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Commercial and Foster streets; thence by the centre lines of Foster, Charter, Salem, Sheafe, Margaret, Prince, and Commercial streets to the point of beginning — 424 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Charter and Hanover streets; thence by the centre lines of Hanover, Prince, Margaret, Sheafe, Salem, and Charter streets to the point of beginning — 449 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the intersection of the ward line and the centre line of Eastern avenue extended; thence by said extended centre line and the centre lines of Eastern avenue, Commercial, Lewis, and North streets, North square, Prince and Hanover streets, Hanover avenue, North, Commercial, and Hanover streets, and Hanover street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning — 432 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning in Boston harbor at the line dividing Ward Six from Ward Seven; thence following said ward line to Milk street; thence by the centre lines of Milk, Washington, School, and Tremont streets to Scollay square; thence through Scollay square and by the centre lines of Court, Hanover, Salem, and Prince streets, North square, North, Lewis, and Commercial streets, Atlantic and Eastern avenues, and the line of Eastern avenue extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the point of beginning — 432 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Beacon streets; thence by the centre lines of Beacon, Bowdoin and Cambridge streets to Bowdoin square; thence across said square and by the centre line of Court street to Scollay square; thence through Scollay square and by the centre line of Tremont street to the point of beginning — 424 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Hanover and Court streets; thence by the centre line of Court street to Bowdoin square; thence across Bowdoin square and by the centre lines of Chardon, Portland, Travers, Beverly, Cooper, North Margin, Thacher, Prince, Salem, and Hanover streets to the point of beginning — 453 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the centre lines of Commercial and Prince streets; thence by the centre lines of Prince, Thacher, North Margin, Cooper, Beverly, Travers, Charlestown, and Causeway streets to the point of beginning — 484 voters.

WARD SEVEN.

Six Precincts — 3,036 Voters.

**Precinct One.* — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Atlantic avenue and Beach street; thence by the centre lines of Beach, Washington, La Grange, Tremont, Boylston, Charles, Beacon, School, Washington, Milk, India and Central streets, and Atlantic avenue, to the ward line between Long wharf and Central wharf; thence by said ward line and the ward line in Boston harbor to the centre line of Congress street; thence by the centre line of Congress street and Atlantic avenue to the point of beginning — 545 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Boylston streets; thence by the centre lines of Tremont and Pleasant streets to Park square; thence across Park square and by the centre line of Boylston street to the point of beginning — 437 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Harrison avenue and Beach street; thence by the centre lines of Harrison avenue, Pine and Warrenton streets, Shawmut avenue, Tremont, La Grange, Washington and Beach streets to the point of beginning — 443 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Harrison avenue and Pine street; thence by the centre lines of Harrison avenue, Motto, Castle and Tremont streets, Shawmut avenue, Warrenton and Pine streets to the point of beginning — 518 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Albany and Harvard streets; thence by the centre lines of Albany and Way streets, Harrison avenue and Harvard street to the point of beginning — 528 voters.

**Precinct Six.* — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Albany street and Broadway; thence by the centre lines of Albany and Harvard streets, Harrison avenue and Beach street, Atlantic avenue and Congress street and Congress-street bridge to the ward line in Fort Point channel; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Broadway; thence by said centre line to the point of beginning — 565 voters.

WARD EIGHT.

Six Precincts — 3,548 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Causeway and Charlestown streets; thence by the centre lines of Cause-

* The lines of Precincts One and Six were revised as set forth above, by vote of the Board of Aldermen, April 4, 1898, and approved by the Mayor, April 6, 1898.

way, Wall, Minot, and Leverett streets to Craigie's bridge; thence by the centre of Craigie's bridge to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Charles-river bridge; thence by said line to Causeway street; thence by the centre line of Causeway street to the point of beginning — 546 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Causeway and Charlestown streets; thence by the centre lines of Charlestown, Travers, Portland, and Chardon streets to Bowdoin square; thence across Bowdoin square to Cambridge street; thence through the centre lines of Cambridge, Chambers, Green, Leverett, and Causeway streets to the point of beginning — 642 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Cambridge and Bowdoin streets; thence by the centre lines of Bowdoin, Beacon, Joy, and Cambridge streets to the point of beginning — 583 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Wall and Causeway streets; thence by the centre lines of Causeway, Leverett, Green, Chambers, Eaton, North Russell, Parkman, Blossom, Allen, Spring and Chambers streets to Hammond avenue; thence by the centre line of Hammond avenue, Leverett, Cotting, and Wall streets to the point of beginning — 614 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Spring and Poplar streets; thence by the centre lines of Poplar street and Poplar street extended to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre of Craigie's bridge; thence by the centre lines of Craigie's bridge, Leverett, Minot, Wall, Cotting, and Leverett streets, Hammond avenue, Chambers and Spring streets to the point of beginning — 556 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Chambers and Cambridge streets; thence by the centre line of Cambridge street to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Poplar street extended; thence by the centre lines of Poplar street extended, Poplar, Spring, Allen, Blossom, Parkman, North Russell, Eaton, and Chambers streets to the point of beginning — 607 voters.

WARD NINE.

Seven Precincts — 3,700 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Harrison avenue and Florence street; thence by the centre lines of

Florence, Washington, Compton, Tremont, Castle, and Motte streets, and Harrison avenue to the point of beginning — 522 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Harrison avenue and Fay street; thence by the centre lines of Fay, Dover, Washington, and Groton streets, Shawmut avenue, Dover, Tremont, Compton, Washington, and Florence streets, and Harrison avenue to the point of beginning — 591 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Broadway bridge and the ward line; thence by said ward line through Fort Point channel to its intersection with the centre line of Bristol street extended; thence by said centre line extended and the centre lines of Bristol street, Harrison avenue, Way street, Broadway, and Broadway bridge to the point of beginning — 513 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Bristol street extended and the ward line in Fort Point channel; thence by said ward line through Fort Point channel and South Bay to its intersection with the centre line of Wareham street extended; thence by said centre line extended and the centre lines of Wareham, Malden, Washington, Waltham, and Bradford streets, Shawmut avenue, Groton, Washington, Dover, Fay, and Bristol streets, and Bristol street extended to the point of beginning — 486 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Dover streets; thence by the centre lines of Dover street, Shawmut avenue, Bradford, Waltham, and Tremont streets to the point of beginning — 508 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Dedham and Tremont streets; thence by the centre lines of Tremont, Waltham, Washington, and West Dedham streets to the point of beginning — 541 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Shawmut avenue and West Dedham street; thence by the centre lines of West Dedham, Washington, Malden, Wareham, and Wareham street extended to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection with the centre line of East Brookline street extended; thence by said extended centre line to its intersection with the harbor line; thence by said harbor line to its intersection with the centre line of East Canton street extended; thence by said extended centre line and the centre lines of East and West Canton streets and Shawmut avenue to the point of beginning — 539 voters.

WARD TEN.

Nine Precincts — 3,931 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Pleasant and Tremont streets; thence by the centre lines of Tremont, Church, Winchester, and Ferdinand streets, Columbus avenue, Berkeley and Providence streets to Park square; thence across Park square to the centre line of Pleasant street; thence by the centre line of Pleasant street to the point of beginning — 464 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Church streets; thence by the centre line of Tremont street to the centre line of location of the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection with the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection of the centre line of Berkeley street; thence by the centre lines of Berkeley street, Columbus avenue, Ferdinand, Winchester, and Church streets to the point of beginning — 446 voters.

Precinct Three — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Appleton streets; thence by New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the centre lines of Appleton, Dartmouth, Chandler, and Clarendon streets, and Columbus avenue, to the centre line of the location of the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection with the centre line of Tremont street; thence by the centre line of Tremont street to the point of beginning — 420 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Tremont and Appleton streets; thence by the centre lines of Tremont, Dartmouth and Appleton streets to the point of beginning — 444 voters.

Precinct Five. — Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Columbus avenue and the centre line of location of the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Yarmouth street; thence by the centre lines of Yarmouth street, Columbus avenue, Chandler and Clarendon streets and Columbus avenue to the point of beginning — 456 voters.

Precinct Six. — Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Warren and Dartmouth streets; thence by the centre lines of Dartmouth street, Columbus avenue, and Yarmouth street to the intersection of the centre line of Yarmouth street with the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Rail-

road; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of West Newton street; thence by the centre line of West Newton street to and across Columbus square and by the centre line of Warren avenue to the point of beginning — 411 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the centre line of West Newton street; thence by the centre lines of West Newton street, Huntington avenue, Norway, Falmouth, and Dalton streets, and Dalton street extended across the Boston & Albany Railroad to the centre line of Boylston street; thence by the centre lines of Boylston, Exeter, and Blagden streets across Huntington avenue to the centre line of St. James avenue; thence by the centre lines of St. James avenue and Berkeley street to the centre line of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the point of beginning—519 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of West Newton street and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the said centre line of location to the centre line of Massachusetts avenue; thence by the centre lines of Massachusetts avenue and Boylston street to the centre line of Dalton street extended; thence by said extended centre line across the Boston & Albany Railroad, and by the centre lines of Dalton, Falmouth, and Norway streets, Huntington avenue and West Newton street to the point of beginning — 473 voters.

Precinct Nine — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Massachusetts avenue and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the said centre line of location to the centre line of Rogers avenue; thence by the centre lines of Rogers and Huntington avenues and Huntington entrance to Back Bay Fens, and the centre line of Huntington entrance extended to the centre line of Muddy River; thence by the centre line of Muddy River to its intersection with the centre line of Boylston road; thence by the centre lines of Boylston road, Boylston street and Massachusetts avenue to the point of beginning — 298 voters.

WARD ELEVEN.

Nine Precincts — 3,710 Voters.

Precinct One — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Joy and Mt. Vernon streets; thence by the centre lines of Mt. Vernon street, Louisburg square, Pinckney, Anderson, Revere, Irving, Cambridge and Joy streets to the point of beginning — 454 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Irving and Revere streets; thence by the centre lines of Revere, Anderson, Myrtle, Grove, Phillips, West Cedar, Cambridge and Irving streets to the point of beginning — 530 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Anderson and Pinckney streets; thence by the centre lines of Pinckney street, Louisburg square, Mount Vernon, West Cedar and Pinckney streets to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the West Boston bridge; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Cambridge, West Cedar, Phillips, Grove, Myrtle and Anderson streets to the point of beginning — 503 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Joy and Beacon streets; thence by the centre lines of Beacon and Otter streets and of Otter street extended to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Pinckney street extended; thence by the centre lines of Pinckney street extended, Pinckney, West Cedar, Mount Vernon and Joy streets to the point of beginning — 481 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Arlington street and Commonwealth avenue; thence by the centre lines of Commonwealth avenue and Exeter street and Exeter street extended to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Otter street extended; thence by the centre lines of Otter street extended, Otter, Beacon and Arlington streets to the point of beginning — 374 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Park square and Providence street; thence by the centre lines of Providence and Berkeley streets, St. James and Huntington avenues, Dartmouth street, Commonwealth avenue, Arlington, Beacon and Charles streets and Park square to the point of beginning — 334 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dartmouth street and Huntington avenue; thence by the centre lines of Huntington avenue, Blagden, Exeter and Boylston streets, Massachusetts and Commonwealth avenues and Dartmouth street to the point of beginning — 428 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Exeter street and Commonwealth avenue; thence by the centre lines of Commonwealth and Massachusetts avenues and Harvard bridge to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to the centre line

of Exeter street extended ; thence by the centre lines of Exeter street extended and Exeter street to the point of beginning — 355 voters.

Precinct Nine. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Massachusetts avenue and Boylston street ; thence by the centre lines of Boylston street, Boylston road and Muddy river to the extension of St. Mary's street ; thence by the easterly line of the extension of St. Mary's street and St. Mary's street to Ashby street ; thence by the centre line of Ashby street and Ashby street extended to the ward line in Charles river ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of Harvard bridge ; thence by the centre lines of Harvard bridge and Massachusetts avenue to the point of beginning — 251 voters.

WARD TWELVE.

Seven Precincts — 3,778 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Concord square and Tremont street ; thence by the centre lines of Tremont and Camden streets to the centre line of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad ; thence by said centre line of location to Greenwich park ; thence by the centre lines of Greenwich park and Concord square to the point of beginning — 545 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Brookline and Tremont streets ; thence by the centre lines of Tremont street, Concord square and Greenwich park to the centre line of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad ; thence by said centre line of location to West Newton street ; thence by the centre line of West Newton street to and across Columbus square to Warren avenue ; thence by the centre line of Warren avenue to West Brookline street ; thence by the centre line of West Brookline street to the point of beginning — 529 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Canton and Washington streets ; thence by the centre lines of Washington and West Brookline streets, Warren avenue, Dartmouth and West Dedham streets, Shawmut avenue and West Canton street to the point of beginning — 560 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Brookline and Washington streets ; thence by the centre lines of Washington and West Springfield streets, Shawmut avenue, Worcester, Tremont and West Brookline streets to the point of beginning — 572 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Springfield and Washington streets ; thence by the centre lines of Washington, Camden, Tremont and Worcester streets, Shawmut avenue and West Springfield street to the point of beginning — 544 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of East Concord and Albany streets ; thence by the centre lines of Albany, Northampton, Fellows, East Lenox, Washington and East Concord streets to the point of beginning — 541 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of East Canton street extended to the ward line in South bay ; thence by said ward line and the centre line of Roxbury canal to its intersection with the centre line of Massachusetts avenue ; thence to the centre lines of Massachusetts avenue, Albany, East Concord, Washington and East Canton streets and East Canton street extended to the point of beginning — 487 voters.

WARD THIRTEEN.

Eight Precincts — 3,803 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of F and West Second streets ; thence by the centre lines of West Second, E, West Third, B and West Second streets, Dorchester avenue, Broadway and Broadway bridge to the centre of Fort Point channel ; thence by the centre line of Fort Point channel and the Harbor Commissioners' line to the centre line of F street extended ; thence by the centre lines of F street extended and F street to the point of beginning — 482 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of C and West Seventh streets ; thence by the centre lines of West Seventh and B streets to the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad ; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of the location of the New York & New England Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the Harbor Commissioners' line ; thence by said Harbor Commissioners' line to the southerly side of Dover-street bridge ; thence by the southerly side of Dover-street bridge to the centre line of Fort Point channel; thence by the centre line of Fort Point channel to the centre line of Broadway bridge ; thence by the centre lines of Broadway bridge, Broadway, A and West Fourth streets to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad ; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of West Fifth street ; thence by the centre lines of West Fifth and C streets to the point of beginning — 489 voters.

Precinct Three.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of B and West Fourth streets; thence by the centre lines of West Fourth and A streets, West Broadway, Dorchester avenue, West Second and B streets to the point of beginning — 486 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Fifth and C streets; thence by the centre line of West Fifth street and the centre line of the location of the New York & New England Railroad and the centre lines of West Fourth, B, West Third and C streets to the point of beginning — 469 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of F street and West Broadway; thence by the centre lines of West Broadway, C, West Third, E, West Second, and F streets to the point of beginning — 497 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of E and West Fifth streets; thence by the centre lines of West Fifth and C streets, West Broadway and E street to the point of beginning — 427 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of D street and Dorchester avenue; thence by the centre lines of Dorchester avenue, B, West Seventh, C, West Fifth and D streets to the point of beginning — 484 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Fifth and E streets; thence by the centre line of E street and the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the centre lines of D and West Fifth streets to the point of beginning — 469 voters.

WARD FOURTEEN.

Eight Precincts — 3,603 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of H street and East Broadway; thence by the centre lines of East Broadway, West Broadway, F street and F street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor; thence by said ward line to the centre line of I street extended; thence by said centre line extended and by the centre lines of East First and H streets to the point of beginning — 573 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of

K street and East Broadway ; thence by the centre lines of East Broadway, H, East First and I streets, and I street extended to the ward line ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of K street extended ; thence by the centre line of K street extended and of K street to the point of beginning — 442 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of K and East Sixth streets ; thence by the centre lines of East Sixth and H streets, East Broadway and K street to the point of beginning — 400 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of L street extended to the ward line in Dorchester bay and said ward line ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of K street extended ; thence by the centre lines of K street extended, K street, East Broadway, L street and L street extended to the point of beginning — 409 voters.

Precinct Five.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of N street extended to the ward line in Dorchester bay and said ward line ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of L street extended ; thence by the centre lines of L street extended, L street, East Broadway, M, East Sixth, and N streets and N street extended to the point of beginning — 446 voters.

Precinct Six.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of O street extended to the ward line in Dorchester bay and said ward line ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of N street extended ; thence by the centre lines of N street extended, N, East Sixth, and M streets, East Broadway, O street and O street extended to the point of beginning — 425 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of O street and East Broadway ; thence by the centre lines of East Broadway, K street and K street extended to the ward line in Boston harbor ; thence by said ward line to the centre line of O street extended ; thence by the centre lines of O street extended and O street to the point of beginning — 428 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying easterly of the centre line of O street from the ward line in Boston harbor to the ward line in Dorchester bay — 480 voters.

WARD FIFTEEN.

Eight Precincts — 3,563 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Dor-

chester street and the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the centre line of Dorchester street to and across Andrew square; thence by the centre line of Swett street and the centre lines of the locations of the New York & New England Railroad and the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and D street and the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to the point of beginning — 366 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Old Harbor and East Ninth streets; thence by the centre lines of East Ninth, Burnham, Mercer, Newman and Dorchester streets, and the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, and the centre lines of E, West Eighth, East Eighth and Old Harbor streets to the point of beginning — 442 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of F and West Eighth streets; thence by the centre lines of West Eighth and E streets, West Broadway, and F street to the point of beginning — 490 voters.

Precinct Four.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester and West Eighth streets; thence by the centre lines of West Eighth and F streets, West Broadway and Dorchester street to the point of beginning — 435 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Old Harbor and East Eighth streets; thence by the centre lines of East Eighth, Dorchester and Old Harbor streets to the point of beginning — 474 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of East Broadway and G streets; thence by the centre lines of G street and G street extended to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to proposed Strandway and to Old Harbor-street extension; thence through the centre line of Old Harbor-street extension, Old Harbor and Dorchester streets and East Broadway to the point of beginning — 400 voters.

Precinct Seven.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of East Broadway and H street; thence through the centre lines of H, East Eighth and I streets and I street extended to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the centre line of G street extended; thence through the centre lines of G street extended, G street and East Broadway to the point of beginning — 480 voters.

Precinct Eight.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of East Sixth and K streets ; thence through the centre of K street and K street extended to the Harbor Commissioners' line ; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to I street extended ; thence through the centre of I street extended, I, East Eighth, H and East Sixth streets to the point of beginning — 476 voters.

WARD SIXTEEN.

Seven Precincts—3,098 Voters.

Precinct One.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Old Harbor and Burnham streets ; thence through the centre lines of Old Harbor street and Old Harbor street extended to the proposed Strandway; thence through the centre line of the proposed Strandway to the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad ; thence through the centre of said location and the centre lines of Hyde street, Dorchester avenue, Dorchester, Newman, Mercer and Burnham streets to the point of beginning — 432 voters.

Precinct Two.—All that part of said ward lying within the following described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Hyde street and the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad ; thence by the centre line of said location to the centre line of Crescent avenue ; thence by the central lines of Crescent and Dorchester avenues, Howell, Boston, Ellery and Swett streets, Dorchester avenue and Hyde street to the point of beginning — 410 voters.

Precinct Three.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and East Cottage street ; thence by the centre lines of East Cottage street and Norfolk avenue and the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad to Swett street ; thence by the centre lines of Swett, Ellery, Boston and Howell streets and Dorchester avenue to the point of beginning — 431 voters.

Precinct Four.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Boston and Dudley streets ; thence by the centre lines of Dudley and East Cottage streets and the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad to Norfolk avenue ; thence by the centre lines of Norfolk avenue, East Cottage and Boston streets to the point of beginning — 419 voters.

Precinct Five.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Magnolia and Robin Hood streets ; thence by the centre lines of Robin

Hood, Hartford and Brookford streets, Blue Hill avenue, West Cottage, Dudley and Magnolia streets to the point of beginning — 489 voters.

Precinct Six.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Columbia and Quincy streets; thence by the centre lines of Quincy, Magnolia, Wayland, Hartford, Robin Hood, Magnolia, Dudley, Hancock and Columbia streets to the point of beginning — 413 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Magnolia and Quincy streets; thence by the centre lines of Quincy street, Blue Hill avenue, Brookford, Hartford, Wayland and Magnolia streets to the point of beginning — 504 voters.

WARD SEVENTEEN.

Nine Precincts — 3,864 Voters.

Precinct One.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Washington and Hunneman streets; thence by the centre lines of Washington, East Lenox, Fellows, Northampton, Albany and Hunneman streets to the point of beginning — 414 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Washington and Hunneman streets; thence by the centre lines of Hunneman, Albany, Palmer, Winslow, Taber, Warren and Washington streets to the point of beginning — 428 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Warren and Taber streets; thence by the centre lines of Taber, Winslow, Palmer, Eustis, Dearborn, Dudley, Greenville, Winthrop, Fairland, Moreland and Warren streets to the point of beginning — 403 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Moreland and Fairland streets; thence by the centre lines of Fairland, Winthrop, Greenville, Dudley, Adams, Eustis, Hampden and Dudley streets, Blue Hill avenue and Moreland street to the point of beginning — 464 voters.

Precinct Five.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dearborn and Dudley streets; thence by the centre lines of Dearborn, Eustis, Albany, Yeoman, Hampden, Eustis, Adams and Dudley streets to the point of beginning — 402 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Albany and Yeoman streets; thence by the centre lines of Albany street, Massachusetts avenue and Roxbury canal to its intersection with

the centre line of East Brookline street extended ; thence by the centre line of East Brookline street extended to its intersection with the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad ; thence by the centre line of said location to its intersection with Massachusetts avenue ; thence by the centre lines of Massachusetts avenue, Magazine street, Norfolk avenue and Yeoman street to the point of beginning — 405 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Blue Hill avenue and Huckins street ; thence by the centre lines of Blue Hill avenue, Dudley street, Hampden street, Norfolk avenue, Magazine, George, Langdon, Dennis and Huckins streets to the point of beginning — 464 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of East Cottage and Dudley streets ; thence by the centre lines of Dudley, Langdon, George and Magazine streets and Massachusetts avenue to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad ; thence by said centre line of location to East Cottage street ; thence by the centre line of East Cottage street to the point of beginning — 475 voters.

Precinct Nine. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line : Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of West Cottage street and Blue Hill avenue ; thence by the centre lines of Blue Hill avenue, Huckins, Dennis, Dudley and West Cottage streets to the point of beginning — 409 voters.

WARD EIGHTEEN.

Six Precincts — 3,743 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Cabot and Weston streets; thence by the centre lines of Weston, Tremont, and Ruggles streets, and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad to Camden street; thence by the centre lines of Camden, Tremont, Hammond, Warwick, Windsor, and Cabot streets to the point of beginning — 673 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Washington and Woodbury streets; thence by the centre lines of Woodbury street, Shawmut avenue, Kendall, Tremont, Camden, and Washington streets to the point of beginning — 642 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Washington and Sterling streets; thence by the centre lines of Sterling street, Shawmut avenue, Windsor, Warwick, Hammond, Tremont, and

Kendall streets, Shawmut avenue, Woodbury and Washington streets to the point of beginning — 603 voters.

Precinct Four.— All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Washington and Vernon streets; thence by the centre lines of Vernon, Auburn, Ruggles, Cabot, and Windsor streets, Shawmut avenue, Sterling and Washington streets to the point of beginning — 605 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Cabot and Linden Park streets; thence by the centre lines of Linden Park, Tremont, and Prentiss streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the said centre line of location to Ruggles street; thence by the centre lines of Ruggles, Tremont, Weston, and Cabot streets to the point of beginning — 619 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Warren and Dudley streets; thence through the centre lines of Dudley, Washington, and Bartlett streets to Eliot square; thence through the centre lines of Roxbury, Gay, Linden Park, Cabot, Ruggles, Auburn, Vernon, Washington, and Warren streets to the point of beginning — 601 voters.

WARD NINETEEN.

Eight Precincts — 3,741 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Parker and Conant streets; thence by the centre lines of Conant street and Huntington avenue to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line and centre of Muddy River to the extension of Huntington entrance to Back Bay Fens; thence by said entrance to Huntington avenue; thence by the centre line of Parker street to the point of beginning — 448 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Station street; thence by the centre lines of Station and Parker streets, Huntington and Rogers avenues to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the centre line of the location of said railroad to the point of beginning — 509 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Phillips and Tremont streets; thence by the centre lines of Tremont street, Huntington avenue, Conant and Phillips streets to the point of beginning — 497 voters.

Precinct Four.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of the location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and Cedar street; thence by the centre lines of Cedar, Terrace, Alleghany, and Parker streets, Delle avenue, Burney, Phillips, Conant, Parker, and Station streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the point of beginning—510 voters.

Precinct Five.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Highland and Linwood streets; thence by the centre lines of Linwood, Centre, Gardner, and Roxbury streets, and Columbus avenue to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the centre line of location of said railroad to Prentiss street; thence by the centre lines of Prentiss, Tremont, Linden Park, Gay, Roxbury, and Highland streets to the point of beginning—489 voters.

Precinct Six.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Highland and Marcella streets; thence by the centre lines of Marcella and New Heath streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Columbus avenue; thence by the centre lines of Columbus avenue, Roxbury, Gardner, Centre, Linwood, and Highland streets to the point of beginning—527 voters.

Precinct Seven.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad and New Heath street; thence by the centre lines of New Heath and Parker streets, Fisher, Parker Hill, and Huntington avenues, Tremont and Burney streets, Delle avenue, Parker, Alleghany, Terrace, and Cedar streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the point of beginning—356 voters.

Precinct Eight.—All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Parker and Heath streets; thence by the centre lines of Heath, Bickford, Minden, and Day streets, Grotto Glen and Grotto Glen extended to Jamaicaway; thence by the centre lines of Jamaicaway to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line to Huntington avenue; thence by the centre lines of Huntington, Parker Hill, and Fisher avenues and Parker street to the point of beginning—405 voters.

WARD TWENTY.

Eight Precincts — 3,650 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Greenwich and Freeport streets; thence by the centre lines of Freeport street, Dorchester and Crescent avenues, to the centre line of the location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection with the Strandway; thence by said Strandway to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to Greenwich street extended; thence through the centre of Greenwich street extended to the point of beginning — 576 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and Freeport street; thence by the centre lines of Freeport, Hancock, Boston, and East Cottage streets, and Dorchester avenue to the point of beginning — 501 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Freeport and Linden streets; thence by the centre lines of Linden, Adams, Bowdoin, Barrington, Columbia, Hancock, and Freeport streets, to the point of beginning — 437 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Charles and Ditson streets; thence by the centre lines of Ditson, Westville, Draper, Longfellow, Topliff, Bowdoin, Adams, Linden, Freeport, and Greenwich streets, Dorchester avenue, and Charles street to the point of beginning — 416 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bowdoin and Washington streets; thence by the centre line of Washington street to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Geneva avenue; thence by the centre lines of Geneva and Blue Hill avenues, Quincy, Columbia, Barrington, and Bowdoin streets to the point of beginning — 437 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Centre and Allston streets; thence by the centre lines of Allston street, Melville avenue, Washington, Bowdoin, Topliff, Longfellow, Draper, Westville, Ditson, and Charles streets, Dorchester and Centre avenues, and Centre street to the point of beginning — 423 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Allston and Centre streets; thence by the centre lines of Centre street

and Talbot avenue to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Washington street; thence by the centre lines of Washington street, Melville avenue, and Allston street to the point of beginning — 417 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad and Talbot avenue; thence by the centre lines of Talbot, Blue Hill, and Geneva avenues to the centre line of location of the New York & New England Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the point of beginning — 443 voters.

WARD TWENTY-ONE.

Nine Precincts — 3,984 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Regent and Circuit streets; thence by the centre lines of Circuit, Washington, Dudley, Warren, and Regent streets to the point of beginning — 480 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Regent and Dale streets; thence by the centre lines of Dale, Washington, Cedar, Highland, Dudley, Bartlett, Washington, Circuit, and Regent streets to the point of beginning — 430 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Mayfair and Elmore streets; thence by the centre lines of Elmore, Washington, Valentine, Thornton, Ellis, Hawthorn, Highland, Cedar, Washington, Dale, Bainbridge, and Mayfair streets to the point of beginning — 319 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Walnut avenue and Bainbridge street; thence by the centre lines of Bainbridge, Dale, Regent, and Warren streets, Walnut avenue, Dale, Laurel, and Bower streets, and Walnut avenue to the point of beginning — 453 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Bower and Warren streets; thence by the centre lines of Bower, Laurel, and Dale streets, Walnut avenue, and Warren street to the point of beginning — 439 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Edgewood and Warren streets; thence by the centre lines of Warren and Moreland streets, Blue Hill avenue, Southwood and Edgewood streets to the point of beginning — 465 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Intervale and Warren streets; thence by the centre lines of Warren, Edgewood, and Southwood streets, Blue Hill avenue, and Intervale street to the point of beginning — 489 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Seaver street and Humboldt avenue; thence by the centre lines of Humboldt avenue, Bower, Warren, and Intervale streets, Blue Hill avenue, and Seaver street to the point of beginning — 495 voters.

Precinct Nine. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Humboldt avenue and Seaver street; thence by the Centre lines of Seaver street, Walnut and Westminster avenues, Washington, Elmore, Mayfair, and Bainbridge streets, Walnut avenue, Bower street, and Humboldt avenue to the point of beginning — 414 voters.

WARD TWENTY-TWO.

Eight Precincts — 3,814 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Chestnut and Spring Park avenues; thence by the centre lines of Spring Park avenue, Centre, Perkins, and Chestnut streets to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line to the centre line of Jamaicaway; thence by the centre line of Jamaicaway to Grotto Glen extended; thence through the centre lines of Grotto Glen extended, Grotto Glen, Day, Round Hill, Edge Hill, Gay Head, Centre, and Forbes streets, and Chestnut avenue to the point of beginning — 498 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad and the centre line of Centre street; thence by the centre lines of Centre, Gay Head, Edge Hill, Round Hill, and Day streets to the ward line; thence by said ward line through Day, Minden, Bickford, Heath, and New Heath streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven, & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the point of beginning — 490 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Marcella and Washington streets; thence through the centre lines of Marcella and Ritchie streets to the intersection of the centre line of Centre street and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by the said

centre line of location to the ward line; thence by said ward line through New Heath, Centre, Marcella, Highland, Hawthorn, Ellis, Thornton, Valentine, and Washington streets to the point of beginning — 503 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of School street and the ward line; thence by the centre lines of School, Washington, and Boylston streets, Baker court, Germania, Bismarck, and Porter streets, Boylston avenue, and Boylston street to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Centre street; thence by the centre lines of Centre, Ritchie, Marcella, and Washington streets, Westminster and Walnut avenues to the point of beginning — 489 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Boylston street and Chestnut avenue; thence by the centre lines of Chestnut avenue, Forbes and Centre streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Boylston street; thence by the centre line of Boylston street to the point of beginning — 488 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Perkins street and the ward line; thence by the centre lines of Perkins and Centre streets, Spring Park and Chestnut avenues, and Boylston street to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Oakdale street; thence by the centre lines of Oakdale, Lamartine and Bell streets, Chestnut avenue, Green, Rockview, St. John and Centre streets to the ward line; thence by said ward line through Myrtle and Pond streets and Jamaicaway to the point of beginning — 411 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the ward line at the junction of Centre and Green streets; thence through the centre lines of Centre, St. John, Rockview and Green streets, Chestnut avenue, Bell, Lamartine, and Oakdale streets to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Carolina avenue; thence through the centre lines of Carolina avenue, South and Centre streets to the point of beginning — 456 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of School street and the ward line; thence by said ward line through Walnut avenue, Sigourney street, Glen road, and Green street to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven &

Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Boylston street; thence through the centre lines of Boylston street and Boylston avenue, Porter, Bismarck, and Germania streets, Baker court, Boylston, Washington, and School streets to the point of beginning — 479 voters.

WARD TWENTY-THREE.

Nine Precincts — 3,350 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of South and Custer streets; thence by the centre lines of Custer, Goldsmith, Centre and Allandale streets to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line to the centre line of Chestnut street; thence by the centre lines of Chestnut and Perkins streets, Jamaicaway, Pond, Myrtle, Centre, and South streets to the point of beginning — 329 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Keyes street and the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location and the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch of said railroad to the centre line of South street; thence by the centre lines of South, Bussey, Walter, Centre, Goldsmith, and Custer streets, Carolina avenue, Lee and Keyes streets to the point of beginning — 395 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Glen road and Forest Hills street; thence by the centre lines of Forest Hills and Morton streets, the Arborway, and Washington street to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Keyes street; thence by the centre lines of Keyes and Lee streets and Carolina avenue to the centre line of location of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Green street; thence by the centre lines of Green street and Glen road to the point of beginning — 419 voters.

* *Precinct Four.* — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Seaver street and Blue Hill avenue; thence by the centre lines of Blue Hill avenue and Harvard street to the boundary line between Boston

* Boundaries of Precincts Four, Five, Six, Seven and Eight were changed by vote of the Board of Aldermen of March 14, 1898, which was approved by the Mayor on March 16, 1898. The numbers in brackets remain unchanged.

and Hyde Park; thence by said boundary line to its intersection with the centre line of Ashland street; thence by the centre lines of Ashland, Sutton, Berry, Canterbury, Bourne, Florence and Hunter streets, and Hyde Park avenue to the centre line of Stony Brook; thence by the centre lines of Stony Brook, Whipple avenue, Washington and South streets to the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Washington street; thence by the centre lines of Washington street, Arborway, Morton and Forest Hill streets, Glen road, Sigourney street, Walnut avenue and Seaver street to the point of beginning — [450 voters].

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Ashland street and the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park; thence by said boundary line and the centre line of the Stony Brook Reservation, Washington and Rockland streets, Farrington avenue, Beech, Kittredge, Sycamore, Ashland, South and Washington streets, and Whipple avenue, to the centre line of Stony Brook; thence by said centre line and the centre line of Hyde Park avenue, Hunter, Florence, Bourne, Canterbury, Berry, Sutton and Ashland streets to the point of beginning — [489 voters].

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Ashland and Sycamore streets; thence by the centre lines of Sycamore, Kittredge and Beech streets, Farrington avenue, Rockland and Washington streets, the West Roxbury Parkway, Beech, Centre and Central streets to the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location and the centre lines of South and Ashland streets to the point of beginning — [384 voters].

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of South and Bussey streets; thence by the centre lines of South, Washington and South streets to the centre line of location of the West Roxbury Branch of the Providence Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Central street; thence by the centre lines of Central, Centre and Church streets to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line to the centre line of Allandale street; thence by the centre line of Allandale, Centre, Walter and Bussey streets to the point of beginning — [246 voters].

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of the Stony Brook Reservation and the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park; thence by said boundary line to the centre line of Grove street; thence by the centre lines of Grove and Washington

streets, Cottage avenue, Lorette, Perham and Baker streets to the boundary line betweeen Boston and Newton; thence by the boundary lines between Boston and Newton and between Boston and Brookline to the centre line of Church street; thence by the centre lines of Church, Centre and Beech streets, West Roxbury Parkway and Stony Brook Reservation to the point of beginning — [376 voters].

Precinct Nine.— All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Grove street and the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park; thence by said boundary line and the boundary lines between Boston and Dedham and Boston and Newton to the centre line of Baker street; thence by the centre lines of Baker, Perham, and Lorette streets, Cottage avenue, Washington and Grove streets to the point of beginning — 262 voters.

WARD TWENTY-FOUR.

Nine Precincts — 3,755 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and Greenwich street; thence by the centre lines of Greenwich street and Greenwich street extended to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to a point opposite the middle of Commercial Point bridge; thence to the middle of said bridge by a line at right angles thereto; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Freeport and Preston streets to the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to Park street; thence by the centre lines of Park street and Dorchester avenue to the point of beginning — 418 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Ashmont street and Neponset avenue; thence by the centre lines of Neponset avenue, Pope's Hill and Freeport streets to the middle of Commercial Point bridge; thence by a line at right angles thereto to the Harbor Commissioners' line; thence by the Harbor Commissioners' line to the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the boundary line between Boston and Quincy; thence by said boundary line to the middle of the Neponset bridge; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Neponset avenue, Chickatawbut and Plain streets, Pierce avenue, Newhall and Ashmont streets to the point of beginning — 419 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and Wrentham street; thence by the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and Park street to the centre line of location of the Old Colony Division of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Rail-

road; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Preston street; thence by the centre lines of Preston and Freeport streets, Commercial Point bridge, Freeport and Pope's Hill streets, Neponset avenue, Ashmont, Adams, Shelton, and Wrentham streets to the point of beginning — 437 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Dorchester avenue and Wrentham street; thence by the centre lines of Wrentham, Shelton, Adams, Ashmont, and Newhall streets, Pierce avenue, Plain and Chickatawbut streets, and Neponset avenue to the middle of the Neponset bridge; thence by the boundary line between Boston and Quincy through the centre of Neponset river to the middle of Granite bridge; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Granite avenue, Adams, Minot, Carruth, and Ashmont streets to Peabody square; thence across Peabody square to the centre line of Dorchester avenue; thence by the centre line of Dorchester avenue to the point of beginning — 428 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Milton bridge and the boundary line between Boston and Milton; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Washington street, and Dorchester avenue to Peabody square; thence across Peabody square and by the centre line of Ashmont, Carruth, Minot and Adams streets and Granite avenue to the middle of Granite bridge; thence by the boundary line between Boston and Milton through Neponset river to the point of beginning — 415 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Central-avenue bridge and the boundary line between Boston and Milton; thence by the centre lines of said bridge, Central avenue, River, Cedar, Sanford, Washington, and Ashmont streets, Dorchester avenue, and Washington street to the middle of the Milton bridge; thence by the boundary line between Boston and Milton through Neponset river to the point of beginning — 401 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Armandine street and Milton avenue; thence by the centre lines of Milton avenue, Edson, Norfolk, and Bernard streets, Talbot avenue, Centre street, Centre and Dorchester avenues, Ashmont, Washington and Armandine streets to the point of beginning — 429 voters.

Precinct Eight. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Morton and Sanford streets; thence by the centre lines of Morton, Corbet, Norfolk, Morton, and Back streets, Talbot avenue, Bernard, Norfolk, and Edson streets, Milton avenue, Armandine, Washington, and Sanford streets to the point of beginning — 407 voters.

Precinct Nine. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of Central-avenue bridge and the boundary line between Boston and Milton; thence by the boundary line between Boston and Milton through Neponset river to the boundary line between Boston and Hyde Park; thence by said boundary line to Back street; thence by the centre lines of Back, Morton, Norfolk, Corbet, Morton, Sanford, Cedar, and River streets, Central avenue, and Central-avenue bridge to the point of beginning — 401 voters.

WARD TWENTY-FIVE.

Seven Precints — 3,025 Voters.

Precinct One. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Aldie and Everett streets; thence by the centre lines of Everett street, Western avenue and Western-avenue bridge to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line to its intersection with the centre line of an old creek, which formerly formed the boundary line between Brookline and Brighton; thence by said centre line to the centre line of location of the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to the centre line of Cambridge street; thence by the centre lines of Cambridge, Mansfield, Bradbury and Aldie streets to the point of beginning — 470 voters.

Precinct Two. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Brighton avenue and Everett street; thence by the centre lines of Everett, Aldie, Bradbury, Mansfield and Cambridge streets to the centre line of location of the Boston & Albany Railroad; thence by said centre line of location to its intersection with the centre line of an old creek, which formerly formed the boundary line between Brookline and Brighton; thence by said centre line to the ward line in Charles river; thence by said ward line and the centre line of Ashby street extended, and the centre line of Ashby street and the southerly line of Commonwealth avenue and the centre line of Brighton avenue to the point of beginning — 483 voters.

Precinct Three. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the boundary line between Boston and Brookline and the centre line of Summit avenue; thence by the centre lines of Summit and Commonwealth avenues, Warren, Cambridge, Dustin and North Beacon streets and Brighton avenue to Commonwealth avenue; thence across Commonwealth avenue to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line to the point of beginning — 385 voters.

Precinct Four. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre line of North Beacon-street bridge and the ward line in Charles river; thence

by said ward line through Charles river to its intersection with the centre line of Western-avenue bridge; thence by the centre line of Western-avenue bridge, Western avenue, Everett and North Beacon streets and North Beacon-street bridge to the point of beginning — 427 voters.

Precinct Five. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the centre lines of Parsons and North Beacon streets; thence by the centre lines of North Beacon, Dustin, Cambridge, Sparhawk, Market, Washington, Oakland, Faneuil and Parsons streets to the point of beginning — 376 voters.

Precinct Six. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the ward line in Charles river and North Beacon-street bridge; thence by the centre lines of North Beacon-street bridge, North Beacon, Parsons, Faneuil, Oakland and Washington streets, Chestnut Hill avenue, South street and Commonwealth avenue to the boundary line between Boston and Newton; thence by said boundary line and the ward line in Charles river to the point of beginning — 452 voters.

Precinct Seven. — All that part of said ward lying within the following-described line: Beginning at the intersection of the boundary line between Boston and Newton and the centre line of Commonwealth avenue; thence by the centre lines of Commonwealth avenue, South street, Chestnut Hill avenue, Market, Sparhawk, Cambridge and Warren streets, Commonwealth and Summit avenues to the boundary line between Boston and Brookline; thence by said boundary line and the boundary line between Boston and Newton to the point of beginning — 432 voters.

STATISTICS RELATING TO THE CITY.

Expenditures.

Since the Last Annexation, January 5, 1874.

(From the Report of the City Auditor, 1897-98, p. 255.)

The following table shows the expenditures of the City, exclusive of sums spent for redeeming debt and temporary loans: —

Year.	Interest on Debt and Temporary Loans.	State Tax.	Other City Expenditures.	Total Actual Expenditures on account of City.	County.	Total City and County.
1874–75.....	$2,671,496 12	$802,120 00	$11,542,694 17	$15,016,310 29	$372,321 99	$15,388,632 28
1875–76.....	2,607,933 20	802,120 00	11,704,336 52	15,114,389 72	361,510 29	15,475,900 01
1876–77.....	2,572,057 28	742,932 00	10,805,276 07	14,120,265 35	345,976 34	14,466,241 69
1877–78.....	2,461,600 59	619,110 00	10,434,694 47	13,515,405 06	328,646 92	13,844,051 98
1878–79.....	2,352,160 26	412,740 00	9,413,015 15	12,177,915 41	327,833 50	12,505,748 91
1879–80.....	2,377,050 59	206,370 00	9,320,836 79	11,904,257,38	296,140 82	12,200,398 20
1880–81.....	2,220,171 43	619,110 00	10,252,967 39	13,092,248 82	305,871 68	13,398,120 50
1881–82.....	2,188,564 72	619,110 00	10,422,476 44	13,230,151 16	338,261 12	13,568,412 28
1882–83.....	2,184,580 49	825,480 00	11,879,562 33	14,889,622 82	362,908 06	15,252,530 88
1883–84.....	2,227,045 73	578,055 00	12,852,436 08	15,657,536 81	368,352 40	16,025,889 21
1884–85.....	2,238,518 17	770,740 00	12,456,798 17	15,466,056 34	393,785 77	15,859,842 11
1885–86.....	2,242,102 19	578,055 00	11,480,449 18	14,300,606 37	852,613 93	15,153,220 30
1886–87.....	2,237,479 04	555,870 00	11,542,638 27	14,335,987 31	999,056 20	15,335,043 51
1887–88.....	2,315,833 49	833,805 00	12,920,866 74	16,070,505 23	1,086,026 43	17,156,531 66
1888–89.....	2,324,476 50	833,805 00	12,974,131 56	16,132,413 06	1,334,640 21	17,467,053 27
1889–90.....	2,353,785,54	738,020 00	13,508,467 28	16,600,272 82	1,265,160 36	17,865,433 18
1890–91.....	2,447,882 87	645,767 50	14,585,464 60	17,679,114 97	1,133,121 18	18,812,236 15
1891–92 (9 months)	1,784,671 04	553,515 00	13,856,842 03	16,195,028 07	777,496 32	16,972,524 39
1892–93.....	2,522,587 58	640,062 50	16,954,626 31	20,117,276 39	1,183,388 65	21,300,665 04
1893–94.....	2,476,430 94	914,375 00	17,287,020 68	20,677,826 62	1,019,172 73	21,696,999 35
1894–95.....	2,341,623 81	731,500 00	19,026,419 75	22,099,543 56	985,044 21	23,084,587 77
1895–96.....	2,580,208 65	538,920 00	20,474,494 46	23.593,623 11	941,184 68	24,534,807 79
1896–97.....	2,820,480 64	628,740 00	21,421,186 40	24,870,407 04	967,083 25	25,837,490 29
1897–98. ...	3,107,953 19	628,740 00	24,105,749 58	27,842,442 77	1,183,478 06	29,025,920 83

Debts, Interest and Sinking-Funds.

Since the last Annexation, January 5, 1874.

The following tables show the amounts of the gross debts and the amounts of the net debts on April 30 of each year from 1874 to 1891, and on January 31, from 1890 to and including 1898; the purposes for which the debts were incurred; the valuation of the taxable property on May 1 of each year; the payments for interest and into the sinking-funds during each year; and the amounts of the sinking-funds at the end of each fiscal year.

YEAR.	Valuation on May 1.	Purposes for which Debt was incurred.	Payments for Interest and Sinking-Funds during the Year.	Amount of Gross Debt, April 30.	Amount of Sinking-Funds, April 30.	Amount of Gross Debt, less Sinking-Funds, April 30.
1874.	$798,755,050	Municipal	$3,087,870 82	$31,592,189 19	$12,769,116 99	$18,823,072 20
		Coch. Water..	498,230 39	7,863,711 11	1,372,953 62	6,490,757 49
		Mystic Water.	113,969 37	1,403,000 00	186,655 21	1,216,344 79
		Total.....	$3,700,070 58	$40,858,900 30	$14,328,725 82	$26,530,174 48
1875.	793,961,895	Municipal	$4,021,961 03	$31,445,871 93	$13,366,780 64	$18,079,091 29
		Coch. Water..	541,291 02	8,123,711 11	1,533,890 28	6,589,820 83
		Mystic Water.	170,028 44	1,280,000 00	138,228 76	1,141,771 24
		Total.....	$4,733,280 49	$40,849,583 04	$15,038,899 68	$25,810,683 36
1876.	748,996,210	Municipal	$3,743,022 59	$30,495,352 60	$14,206,674 62	$16,288,677 98
		Coch. Water..	833,750 81	9,735,711 11	1,560,917 83	8,174,793 28
		Mystic Water.	135,322 34	1,318,000 00	45,616 62	1,272,383 38
		Total.....	$4,712,095 74	$41,549,063 71	$15,813,209 07	$25,735,854 64
1877.	686,840,586	Municipal	$2,646,974 60	$28,238,137 79	$13,630,849 46	$14,607,288 33
		Coch. Water..	774,104 95	11,548,711 11	1,709,492 60	9,839,218 51
		Mystic Water.	181,727 06	1,228,000 00	96,701 18	1,131,298 82
		Total.....	$3,602,806 61	$41,014,848 90	$15,437,043 24	$25,577,805 66
1878.	630,446,866	Municipal	$2,877,430 71	$26,160,097 59	$13,550,489 18	$12,609,608 41
		Coch. Water..	778,584 86	11,545,273 98	2,043,764 73	9,501,509 25
		Mystic Water.	146,019 99	1,228,000 00	175,831 79	1,052,168 21
		Total.....	$3,802,035 56	$38,933,371 57	$15,770,085 70	$23,163,285 87

Debts, Interest and Sinking-Funds. — *Continued.*

YEAR.	Valuation on May 1.	Purposes for which Debt was Incurred.	Payments for Interest and Sinking-Funds during the year.	Amount of Gross Debt, April 30.	Amount of Sinking-Funds, April 30.	Amount of Gross Debt less Sinking-Funds, April 30.
1879.	$613,322,692	Municipal ...	$3,072,085 66	$29,453,542 25	$13,397,807 36	$16,055,734 89
		Coch. Water..	794,574 11	11,753,273 98	2,143,847 85	9,609,426 13
		Mystic Water.	139,159 91	1,153,000 00	252,380 48	900,619 52
		Total	$4,005,819 68	$42,359,816 23	$15,794,035 69	$26,565,780 54
1880.	639,462,495	Municipal	$2,374,129 71	$29,179,851 38	$11,696,278 61	$17,483,572 77
		Coch. Water..	857,745 17	11,697,273 98	1,771,692 62	9,925,581,36
		Mystic Water.	116,863 06	1,153,000 00	318,137 06	834,862 94
		Total.....	$3,348,737 94	$42,030,125 36	$13,786,108 29	$28,244,017 07
1881.	665,554,597	Municipal ...	$2,394,217 70	$28,165,058 20	$12,155,649 92	$16,009,408 28
		Coch. Water..	815,145 42	11,631,273 98	1,989,300 88	9,641,973 10
		Mystic Water.	96,916 30	1,153,000 00	366,898 39	786,101 61
		Total..... .	$3,306,279 42	$40,949,332 18	$14,511,849 19	$26,437,482 99
1882.	672,497,962	Municipal ...	$2,662,327 91	$27,405,038 06	$12,801,146 66	$14,603,891 40
		Coch. Water..	792,815 12	11,631,273 98	2,281,857 59	9,349,416 39
		Mystic Water.	142,498 68	1,127,000 00	468,225 12	658,774 88
		Total.....	$3,597,641 71	$40,163,312 04	$15,551,229 37	$24,612,082 67
1883.	682,432,671	Municipal	$2,390,902 92	$28,299,084 14	$13,042,321 85	$15,256,762 29
		Coch. Water..	846,600 02	11,955,273 98	2,607,768 46	9,347,505 52
		Mystic Water.	127,834 53	1,027,000 00	506,705 12	520,294 88
		Total.....	$3,365,337 47	$41,281,358 12	$16,156,795 43	$25,124,562 69
1884.	682,656,658	Municipal	$3,012,981 36	$29,555,395 09	$13,399,825 49	$16,155,569 60
		Coch. Water..	639,213 41	12,882,273 98	2,746,505 58	10,135,768 40
		Mystic Water.	53,860 00	840,000 00	330,540 15	509,459 85
		Total...	$3,706,054 77	$43,277,669 07	$16,476,871 22	$26,800,797 85

Debts, Interest and Sinking-Funds. — *Continued.*

YEAR.	Valuation on May 1.	Purposes for which Debt was incurred.	Payments for Interest and Sinking-Funds during the Year.	Amount of Gross Debt, April 30.	Amount of Sinking-Funds, April 30.	Amount of Gross Debt, less Sinking-Funds, April 30.
1885.	$685,579,072	Municipal	$2,593,090 18	$29,077,706 04	$14,471,706 74	$14,605,999 30
		Coch. Water..	877,916 46	13,045,473 98	3,106,323 82	9,939,150 16
		Mystic Water.	119,962 50	839,000 00	444,453 69	394,546 31
		Total.....	$3,590,969 14	$42,962,180 02	$18,022,484 25	$24,939,695 77
1886.	710,621,335	Municipal	$2,487,207 58	$28,587,848 06	$14,502,690 32	$14,085,157 74
		Coch. Water..	801,887 90	13,491,473 98	3,385,201 26	10,106,272 72
		Mystic Water.	114,122 99	839,000 00	521,541 93	317,458 07
		County	.....	885,000 00	.....	885,000 00
		Total	$3,403,218 47	$43,803,322 04	$18,409,433 51	$25,393,888 53
1887.	747,642,517	Municipal	$2,359,283 36	$30,985,688 74	$15,395,638 40	$15,590,050 34
		Coch. Water..	992,860 71	14,142,273 98	3,947,616 92	10,194,657 06
		Mystic Water.	105,972 23	839,000 00	603,555 62	235,444 38
		County	42,245 00	833,000 00	.....	833,000 00
		Total	$3,500,361 30	$46,799,962 72	$19,946,810 94	$26,853,151 78
1888.	764,452,548	Municipal....	$2,408,358 81	$31,797,529 47	$16,246,985 67	$15,550,543 80
		Coch. Water..	951,000 57	14,741,273 98	4,373,304 09	10,367,969 89
		Mystic Water.	81,036 34	839,000 00	666,965 00	172,035 00
		County	64,863 75	1,616,000 00	.....	1,616,000 00
		Total	$3,505,259 47	$48,993,803 45	$21,287,254 76	$27,706,548 69
1889.	795,433,744	Municipal	$2,645,668 59	$31,677,201 27	$16,226,382 91	$15,450,818 36
		Coch. Water..	1,002,253 39	14,941,273 98	4,864,092 54	10,077,181 44
		Mystic Water.	65,362 94	839,000 00	715,811 53	123,188 47
		County	98,222 50	2,463,000 00	14,359 72	2,448,640 28
		Total	$3,811,507 42	$49,920,475 25	$21,820,646 70	$28,099,828 55

Debts, Interest and Sinking-Funds. — *Continued.*

YEAR.	Valuation on May 1.	Purposes for which Debt was incurred.	Payments for Interest and Sinking-Funds during the Year.	Amount of Gross Debt, April 30.	Amount of Sinking-Funds, April 30.	Amount of Gross Debt, less Sinking-Funds, April 30.
1890.	$822,041,800	Municipal	$2,642,101 87	$34,148,821 24	$16,248,893 61	$17,899,927 63
		Coch. Water..	1,061,288 33	15,696,273 98	5,440,819 47	10,255,454 51
		Mystic Water.	67,299 69	839,000 00	767,306 65	71,693 35
		County	137,501 04	3,246,000 00	48,578 99	3,197,421 01
		Total	$3,908,190 93	$53,930,095 22	$22,505,598 72	$31,424,496 50
1891.	855,069,415	Municipal	$2,926,855 41	$35,675,206 08	$17,386,935 75	$18,288,270 33
		Coch. Water..	1,027,792 39	16,267,773 98	5,979,297 80	10,288,476 18
		Mystic Water.	77,159 28	690,000 00	680,929 14	9,070 86
		County	173,277 23	3,229,000 00	92,832 48	3,136,167 52
		Total	$4,205,084 31	$55,861,980 06	$24,139,995 17	$31,721,984 89
				Jan. 31.	*Jan. 31.*	*Jan. 31.*
1892.	893,975,704	Municipal	$2,867,262 10	$35,886,223 37	$18,324,176 70	$17,562,046 67
		Coch. Water..	803,361 83	16,423,773 98	6,471,545 34	9,952,228 64
		Mystic Water.	81,029 14	482,000 00	550,208 70	[1] *68,208 70*
		County	117,404 00	3,212,000 00	137,805 83	3,074,194 17
		Total	$3,869,057 07	$56,003,997 35	$25,483,736 57	$30,520,260 78
1893.	924,093,751	Municipal	$3,174,959 54	$36,132,374 06	$17,695,549 70	$18,436,824 36
		Coch. Water..	1,051,416 63	16,758,773 98	7,019,058 38	9,739,715 60
		Mystic Water.	69,257 50	441,000 00	579,254 01	[1] *138,254 01*
		County	172,848 57	3,576,000 00	183,819 98	3,392,180 02
		Total	$4,468,482 24	$56,908,148 04	$25,477,682 07	$31,430,465 97
1894.	928,109,042	Municipal	$3,064,207 39	$33,602,261 38	$12,329,590 80	$21,272,670 58
		Coch. Water..	1,125,545 15	17,055,273 98	7,649,504 87	9,405,769 11
		Mystic Water.	18,707 59	102,000 00	265,210 26	[1] *163,210 26*
		County	190,463 33	3,659,000 00	237,991 47	3,421,008 53
		Total	$4,398,923 46	$54,418,535 36	$20,482,297 40	$33,936,237 96

[1] Surplus of Sinking-Fund over debt.

Debts, Interest and Sinking-Funds. — *Concluded.*

Year.	Valuation on May 1.	Purposes for which Debt was incurred.	Payments for Interest and Sinking-Funds during the Year.	Amount of Gross Debt, Jan. 31.	Amount of Sinking-Funds, Jan. 31.	Amount of Gross Debt, less Sinking-Funds, Jan. 31.
1895.	$951,367,928	Municipal	$3,076,185 73	$37,894,690 95	$12,858,595 93	$25,036,095 02
		Coch. Water..	1,128,739 33	17,761,273 98	8,444,773 55	9,316,500 43
		Mystic Water.	2,550 00			
		County	197,837 87	3,682,000 00	296,784 24	3,385,215 76
		Total	$4,405,312 93	$59,337,964 93	$21,600,153 72	$37,737,811 21
1896.	981,269,914	Municipal	$3,217,998 23	$43,740,500 66	$14,867,492 58	$28,873,008 08
		Coch. Water..	1,066,919 07	18,261,273 98	9,099,966 39	9,161,307 59
		Mystic Water.	67,149 44			
		County.	198,525 00	3,665,000 00	357,107 96	3,307,892 04
		Total	$4,550,591 74	$65,666,774 64	$24,324,566 93	$41,342,207 71
1897.	1,012,582,209	Municipal	$3,684,884 88	$49,993,326 59	$15,242,436 62	$34,750,889 97
		Coch. Water..	1,073,119 98	18,261,273 98	9,704,387 99	8,556,885 99
		County	197,879 00	3,648,000 00	419,762 52	3,228,237 48
		Total	$4,955,883 86	$71,902,600 57	$25,366,587 13	$46,536,013 44
1898.	.....	Municipal	$3,958,038 97	$58,050,636 78	$17,241,999 72	$40,808,637 06
		Coch. Water..	1,081,033 02	17,911,273 98	9,852,760 01	8,058,513 97
		County	195,836 00	3,631,000 00	483,610 24	3,147,389 76
		Total	$5,234,907 99	$79,592,910 76	$27,578,369 97	$52,014,540 79

Valuation and Taxes.

[From Reports of the Assessing Department.]

Year.	Assessed Valuation.			Poll Tax Assessed.	Tax Rate per $1,000.				Portion of City Tax for School Expenditure.	Year.
	Real Estate.	Personal Estate.	Total.		State.	County	City.	Total.		
1885	$495,973,400	$189,605,672	$685,579,072	$224,236 00	$0 71	$0 27	$11 82	$12 80	$2 93	1885
1886	517,503,275	193,118,060	710,621,335	225,037 00	0 65	0 40	11 65	12 70	2 62	1886
1887	547,171,175	200,471,342	747,642,517	231,368 50	1 00	0 57	11 83	13 40	2 50	1887
1888	563,013,275	201,439,273	764,452,548	241,225 00	0 97	0 74	11 69	13 40	2 38	1888
1889	593,799,975	201,633,769	795,433,744	246,709 50	0 83	0 80	11 27	12 90	2 47	1889
1890	619,990,275	202,051,525	822,041,800	254,536 50	0 69	0 85	11 76	13 30	2 45	1890
1891	650,238,375	204,831,040	855,069,415	265,823 50	0 53	0 57	11 50	12 60	1 80	1891
1892	680,279,875	213,695,829	893,975,704	273,117 50	0 63	0 77	11 50	12 90	2 32	1892
1893	707,762,275	216,331,476	924,093,751	279,406 00	0 92	0 75	11 13	12 80	2 24	1893
1894	723,743,850	204,365,192	928,109,042	279,578 00	0 75	0 81	11 24	12 80	2 27	1894
1895	744,751,050	206,616,878	951,367,928	284,920 00	0 55	0 85	11 40	12 80	2 32	1895
1896	770,261,700	211,008,214	981,269,914	296,954 00	0 58	0 84	11 48	12 90	2 30	1896
1897	803,860,550	208,721,659	1,012,582,209	309,308 00	0 73	1 00	11 27	13 00	2 37	1897

Valuations on which taxes at the rate of $9 per $1,000 could be used to meet appropriations.

1885	$670,035,172 00	1890	$761,236,068 00	1895	$902,579,136 00
1886	678,763,000 00	1891	790,036,144 00	1896	927,838,628 00
1887	694,078,430 00	1892	819,313,202 00	1897	951,638,949 00
1888	711,071,286 00	1893	850,076,262 00		
1889	733,736,943 00	1894	876,794,390 00		

Appropriations met by Taxes and General Revenue.

[From Report of City Auditor, 1897-98, p. 256.]

YEAR.	Taxes for interest and sinking-funds.	Taxes for county purposes, Stat. 1887, Ch. 281.	Taxes under $9 rate law, Stat. 1885, Ch. 178.	Estimated general revenue.	Total income for department expenditures.	Amount of possible appropriations.	Amount of actual appropriations.
1885-86.....	$2,171,569	.....	$5,949,099	$2,804,550	$8,753,649	$10,925,218	$10,608,100
1886-87.....	2,176,357	.....	6,030,316	2,588,490	8,618,806	10,795,163	10,553,690
1887-88.....	2,425,465	$425,000	6,108,867	2,694,800	9,228,667	11,654,132	11,654,094
1888-89.....	2,517,522	425,000	6,246,705	2,261,080	8,932,785	11,450,307	11,450,307
1889-90.....	2,492,510	425,000	6,399,641	2,408,090	9,232,731	11,725,241	11,725,241
1890-91.....	2,990,942	425,000	6,603,632	2,470,240	9,498,872	12,489,814	12,489,814
1891-92.....	2,887,916	425,000	6,851,124	2,635,390	9,911,514	12,799,430	12,799,430
1892-93.....	3,150,420	425,000	7,110,325	2,914,675	10,450,000	13,600,420	13,600,420
1893-94.....	2,910,219	425,000	7,373,818	2,756,590	10,555,408	13,465,627	13,465,627
1894-95.....	2,826,068	425,000	7,650,686	2,490,000	10,565,686	13,391,754	13,391,754
1895-96.....	3,098,229	425,000	7,891,149	2,598,665	10,914,814	14,013,043	14,013,043
1896-97.....	3,231,959	425,000	8,123,212	2,764,290	11,312,502	14,544,461	14,544,461
1897-98.....	3,335,658	425,000	8,350,547	3,218,450	11,993,997	15,329,655	15,329,646
1898-99.....	4,264,040	425,000	8,564,759	3,488,234	12,477,984	16,742,024	16,742,024

The city can annually make appropriations to be met by the general revenue of the city and by taxes to the amount of the interest and sinking-fund requirements, to the amount of the county expenses up to $425,000, and to the further amount of $9 on each $1,000 of the average of the assessed valuations for the preceding five years, the valuation for each year being decreased by all abatements allowed to, and including, December 31st of the year. These appropriations are for department expenditures for municipal and county purposes.

Population of Boston.

The following table shows the population of Boston in 1885, 1890, 1895, with the legal and registered voters in the new wards of December 10, 1895:

Ward.	Old Wards, Census of			New Wards, Census of 1895.			Legal Voters, New Wards[1]	Registered Voters, New Wards[2]	Ward.
	1885.	1890.	1895.	Males.	Females.	Total.			
1.....	15,659	19,633	23,821	10,363	10,644	21,007	4,785	4,088	 1
2.....	15,760	17,297	18,774	11,505	10,083	21,588	4,357	3,703	 2
3.....	12,328	13,094	13,943	6,841	7,102	13,943	3,538	3,047	 3
4.....	12,518	12,842	13,375	6,654	6,721	13,375	3,311	2,749	 4
5.....	12,827	12,412	12,986	6,994	5,992	12,986	3,266	2,882	 5
6.....	17,256	18,447	18,194	14,805	13,055	27,860	4,190	3,527	 6
7.....	12,038	13,145	12,965	9,049	7,924	16,973	4,237	3,057	 7
8.....	11,986	13,026	13,990	12,143	10,987	23,130	5,173	3,587	 8
9.....	11,239	12,660	11,857	11,398	11,776	23,174	5,504	3,888	 9
10.....	9,746	8,205	5,883	10,070	12,484	22,554	6,007	3,941	10
11.....	17,863	21,660	25,729	7,375	12,555	19,930	4,886	3,751	11
12.....	13,845	12,585	10,748	9,188	12,403	21,591	5,731	3,802	12
13.....	22,547	22,375	20,506	12,695	12,205	24,900	4,795	3,893	13
14.....	22,741	26,367	27,906	9,635	9,551	19,186	4,381	3,716	14
15.....	16,237	18,049	19,501	8,975	9,648	18,623	4,324	3,600	15
16.....	16,459	18,048	16,343	7,664	8,656	16,320	3,933	3,193	16
17.....	14,747	15,638	16,715	10,128	10,986	21,114	4,801	4,003	17
18.....	14,140	16,035	17,725	10,641	11,038	21,679	4,830	3,640	18
19.....	20,557	23,016	22,622	10,508	11,864	22,372	4,467	4,029	19
20.....	20,994	24,335	30,261	9,893	11,635	21,528	5,225	4,058	20
21.....	15,627	22,930	28,364	8,079	11,195	19,274	4,793	4,105	21
22.....	15,838	20,011	26,012	10,445	11,844	22,289	4,879	3,999	22
23.....	17,425	24,997	32,761	8,736	9,547	18,283	4,032	3,585	23
24.....	21,500	29,638	40,938	8,589	9,651	18,240	4,371	4,214	24
25.....	8,516	12,032	15,001	7,293	7,708	15,001	3,577	3,284	25
Total..	390,393	448,477	496,920	239,666	257,254	496,920	113,393	91,341	.... Total

[1] Legal voters are citizens with the constitutional qualifications to vote.

[2] Registered voters are citizens registered as voters for the Municipal Election of 1895. These figures are furnished by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Assessors' Statistics of Boston, May 1, 1897.

WARD.	Number of Dwelling-Houses.	No. Vacant Houses.	Value of Vacant Houses.	Hotels.	Family Hotels.	Houses Erecting.	Stores.	Miscellaneous Buildings.	Horses.	Cows.	Feet of Land.	Feet of Vacant Land.	Value of Vacant Land.	Feet of Marsh Land and Flats.	Value of Marsh Land and Flats.
1....	2,913	86	$192,600	....	1	15	.....	217	385	.....	22,592,849	12,245,516	$886,300	38,887,080	$215,500
2....	2,225	26	30,700	1	.....	7	.....	395	400	.....	10,015,687	785,622	134,800	6,283,131	906,100
3....	1,632	26	55,100	3	.....	6	.....	186	548	.....	6,405,935	39,129	27,200	826,343	200,300
4....	1,883	48	89,200	1	.....	5	.....	408	839	.....	8,144,690	385,716	106,000	2,032,640	38,700
5....	1,532	23	147,000	1	1	.....	50	104	715	.....	5,199,643	227,237	238,200		
6....	1,495	22	197,600	13	16	2	1,336	203	1,127	.....	6,820,373	23,732	253,700	695,893	298,100
7....	1,405	69	728,100	23	21	.....	1,243	113	1,510	.....	9,270,324	1,262,643	6,721,200	512,637	615,100
8....	1,749	64	340,100	7	14	4	45	204	200	.....	3,838,166	66,278	219,900	371,153	378,500
9....	1,831	47	267,200	6	85	10	32	152	120	.....	5,300,104	249,732	321,000	135,717	26,100
10....	2,145	28	229,000	9	125	14	44	114	696	.....	10,029,108	3,124,447	6,525,800		
11....	2,866	68	1,107,200	7	36	21	52	162	358	.....	12,621,748	5,276,355	9,436,700	2,009,872	1,484,000
12....	2,248	85	637,400	1	38	5	4	66	150	.....	4,752,912	233,711	361,000		
13....	2,361	49	89,200	....	.....	5	40	260	439	.....	13,680,626	1,062,303	620,500	1,855,021	142,600
14....	2,425	114	255,500	1	3	13	8	160	334	.....	8,994,687	2,440,797	607,000	4,323,561	89,650
15....	2,303	105	249,100	1	5	6	24	219	659	.....	8,920,591	1,123,995	31,000	4,178,519	133,300
16....	2,478	103	438,200	....	43	.....	20	89	305	17	15,461,650	4,452,776	936,500	7,837,513	325,900

17....	2,479	68	301,100	....	40	26	.....	179	883	2	12,846,085	3,087,209	854,300	4,920,836	110,800
18....	2,311	55	203,200	....	47	6	207	147	153	.....	6,049,705	921,583	927,500		
19....	2,409	62	338,800	1	19	17	.....	206	798	28	22,999,537	13,265,054	4,852,100		
20....	3,848	180	862,800	....	21	72	19	421	381	62	50,855,288	23,900,248	4,185,700	13,103,884	73,500
21....	3,127	155	850,300	1	24	10	27	120	158	.....	21,565,730	6,701,487	2,441,900		
22....	2,781	123	515,600	....	.....	49	9	298	501	3	24,816,032	6,675,871	1,964,700		
23....	3,438	150	445,900	...	.....	40	49	579	683	39	197,004,299	170,321,939	7,435,300		
24. ..	3,936	264	1,227,500	...	3	82	46	698	740	124	104,443,691	70,176,279	3,969,800	9,904,956	56,400
25....	3,127	107	495,000	2	6	26	58	766	823	62	79,461,430	64,409,724	7,618,200	8,014,413	140,000
Total	60,947	2,127	$10,293,400	78	548	441	3,323	6,466	13,905	337	672,090,890	392,459,383	$61,676,300	105,893,169	$5,234,550

The figures given in the above table relate to property and areas that are assessed. A large amount of property, streets, parks, squares, etc., covering extensive tracts of land, is excluded from this statement, as they are exempt from taxation. Some of the larger areas of untaxed property are given below.

Flats, piers, and similar structures are excluded from this Supplementary Table, which includes only the areas of available upland

	Acres.
Islands in the harbor owned by the city.	353
Islands in the harbor owned by the United States	173
United States Navy Yard (including timber docks)	91
Lands owned by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts	778

PUBLIC PARKS.

	Acres.		*Acres.*
Main Park System	1,301	Town Field, Dorchester	6
Franklin Field	77	First-street Playground	5
Marine Park System (Castle Island, owned by the U. S., not included)	71	Charlestown Heights	4
Wood Island Park and Parkway	46	Mystic Playground	2
Dorchester Park	26	North End and Fellows-street Playgrounds	1
Neponset Playground	18	Boston Common	48
Charlestown Playground	14	Public Garden	24
North Brighton Playground	14	Sixty-one small parks in various parts of the city	65
Billings Field	11		
Charlesbank	10		

Area of Boston, by Wards. — (In acres.)

(From the Engineering Department — Surveying Division.)

Ward.	Land.	Flats.	Water.	Areas to Ward Lines.	Between Ward and Harbor Lines.
1	1,188	163	159	1,510	384*
2	357	58	.....	415	57*
3	332	.....	56	388	—25†
4	301	88	78	467	
5	205	.....	11	216	
6	293	.....	.....	293	
7	394	.....	18	412	
8	166	.....	66	232	
9	186	22	79	287	
10	394	.....	.....	394	
11	638	.....	184	822	
12	235	.....	.....	235	
13	604	74	35	713	—6†
14	385	449	65	899	—65†
15	243	107	.....	350	
16	564	109	.....	673	
17	423	37	.....	460	
18	220	.....	.....	220	
19	760	.....	.....	760	
20	1,716	394	.....	2,110	
21	640	.....	.....	640	
22	760	.....	.....	760	
23	7,615	.....	45	7,660	
24	3,252	136	92	3,480	
25	2,739	.....	116	2,855	
Total	24,610	1,637	1,004	27,251	345

*Inside of harbor line. † Outside of harbor line.

Principal Islands in Boston Harbor.

Name.	Area.	Ownership.	Remarks.
Governor's Island.	72.0 acres	United States.....	Fort Winthrop.
Castle Island	21.6 "	" "	Fort Independence. Now under jurisdiction of Park Com'rs.
Long Island Head.	33.0 "	" "	Lt.-house & Batteries.
Lovell's Island....	71.1 "	" "	Gov't. Buoy Station.
George's Island...	39.7 "	" "	Fort Warren.
Rainsford Island..	17.4 "	City of Boston....	House of Reformation. Purchased in 1871 for $40,000.
Gallop's Island ...	25.1 "	" "	Quarantine Station. Purchased in 1860 for $6,600
Long Island	182.5 "	" "	Almshouse and Hospital. Purchased in 1885 for $164,600.
Deer Island.....	182.3 "	" "	House of Correction. Conveyed to the inhabitants of Boston, March 4, 1634–35.
Apple Island.....	8.9 "	" "	Purchased in 1867 for $3,750.
Spectacle Island..	61.4 "	N. Ward & Co.	
Thompson's Island	146.5 "	Boston Asylum and Farm School for Indigent Boys.	Farm School. Annexed to Boston by Act of March 15, 1834.
Little Brewster...	3.6 "	United States.....	Boston Light-house.
Great Brewster ...	23.1 "	City of Boston....	Purchased in 1848 for $4,000.
Outer Brewster...	17.5 "	Benjamin Dean.	

Principal Islands in Boston Harbor. — *Concluded.*

Name.	Area.	Ownership.	Remarks.
Calf Island	17.1 acres	J. S. Weeks.	
Little Calf Island.	1.1 "		
Green Island.....	1 8 "	James Young.	
Moon Island.....	30 0 "	City of Boston....	Taken by right of eminent domain in 1879. It constitutes the point of discharge of the Main Drainage System.

Orators of Boston.

APPOINTED BY THE PUBLIC AUTHORITIES.

For the Anniversary of the Boston Massacre, March 5, 1770.

1771 James Lovell.
1772 Dr. Joseph Warren.
1773 Dr. Benjamin Church.
1774 John Hancock.
1775 Dr. Joseph Warren.
1776 Rev. Peter Thacher.
1777 Benjamin Hichborn.
1778 Jonathan Williams Austin.
1779 William Tudor.
1780 Jonathan Mason, jr.
1781 Thomas Dawes, jr.
1782 George Richards Minot.
1783 Dr. Thomas Welsh.

For the Anniversary of National Independence, July 4, 1776.

1783 Dr. John Warren.
1784 Benjamin Hichborn.
1785 John Gardiner.
1786 Jonathan L. Austin.
1787 Thomas Dawes, jr.
1788 Harrison Gray Otis.
1789 Rev. Samuel Stillman.
1790 Edward Gray.
1791 Thomas Crafts, jr.
1792 Joseph Blake, jr.
1793 John Quincy Adams.
1794 John Phillips.
1795 George Blake.
1796 John Lathrop, jr.
1797 John Callender.
1798 Josiah Quincy.
1799 John Lowell, jr.
1800 Joseph Hall.
1801 Charles Paine.
1802 Rev. William Emerson.
1803 William Sullivan.
1804 Dr. Thomas Danforth.
1805 Warren Dutton.
1806 Francis Dana Channing.
1807 Peter O. Thacher.
1808 Andrew Ritchie, jr.
1809 William Tudor, jr.
1810 Alexander Townsend.
1811 James Savage.
1812 Benjamin Pollard.
1813 Edward St. Leo Livermore.
1814 Benjamin Whitwell.
1815 Lemuel Shaw.
1816 George Sullivan.
1817 Edward T. Channing.
1818 Francis C. Gray.
1819 Franklin Dexter.
1820 Theodore Lyman, jr.
1821 Charles G. Loring.
1822 John C. Gray.
1823 Charles Pelham Curtis.
1824 Francis Bassett.
1825 Charles Sprague.
1826 Josiah Quincy, Mayor of the City.
1827 William Powell Mason.
1828 Bradford Sumner.
1829 James T. Austin.
1830 Alexander H. Everett.
1831 Rev. John G. Palfrey.
1832 Josiah Quincy, jr.
1833 Edward G. Prescott.
1834 Richard S. Fay.
1835 George S. Hillard.
1836 Henry W. Kinsman.
1837 Jonathan Chapman.
1838 Rev. Hubbard Winslow.
1839 Ivers James Austin.

1840 Thomas Power.
1841 George Ticknor Curtis.
1842 Horace Mann.
1843 Charles Francis Adams.
1844 Peleg W. Chandler.
1845 Charles Sumner.
1846 Fletcher Webster.
1847 Thomas G. Cary.
1848 Joel Giles.
1849 William W. Greenough.
1850 Edwin P. Whipple.
1851 Charles Theodore Russell.
1852 Rev. Thomas Starr King.
1853 Timothy Bigelow.
1854 Rev. A. L. Stone.
1855 Rev. A. A. Miner.
1856 Edward Griffin Parker.
1857 Rev. William Rounseville Alger.
1858 John S. Holmes.
1859 George Sumner.
1860 Edward Everett.
1861 Theophilus Parsons.
1862 George Ticknor Curtis.
1863 Oliver Wendell Holmes.
1864 Thomas Russell.
1865 Rev. Jacob M. Manning.
1866 Rev. S. K. Lothrop.
1867 Rev. George H. Hepworth.
1868 Samuel Eliot.
1869 Ellis W. Morton.
1870 William Everett.
1871 Horace Binney Sargent.
1872 Charles Francis Adams, jr.
1873 Rev. John F. W. Ware.
1874 Richard Frothingham.
1875 Rev. James Freeman Clarke.
1876 Robert C. Winthrop.
1877 William Wirt Warren.
1878 Joseph Healy.
1879 Henry Cabot Lodge.
1880 Robert Dickson Smith.
1881 George Washington Warren.
1882 John Davis Long.
1883 Rev. H. Bernard Carpenter.
1884 Harvey N. Shepard.
1885 Thomas J. Gargan.
1886 George Fred Williams.
1887 John E. Fitzgerald.
1888 William E. L. Dillaway.
1889 John L. Swift.
1890 Albert E. Pillsbury.
1891 Josiah Quincy.
1892 John R. Murphy.
1893 Henry W. Putnam.
1894 Joseph H. O'Neil.
1895 Rev. Adolph Augustus Berle.
1896 John F. Fitzgerald.
1897 Rev. Edward Everett Hale.
1898 Rev. Denis O'Callaghan.

NOTE.— All the addresses delivered by the annual orators were published, except those of 1806, 1812 and 1852. The orations of 1792, 1798, 1804, 1807, 1808, 1809, 1811, 1816, 1821, 1850, 1854, 1859 and 1876 went through a second edition each; those of 1863 and 1876 were published also in a more elegant form; those of 1842 and 1845 went through four editions each; that of 1857 through five. The orations from 1771 to 1788, and the large-paper editions of the orations of 1863 and 1876, are in quarto; all others in octavo.

The names given above are copied from the orations as officially published. The Massacre orations were reprinted in a volume in 1785 by Peter Edes, and again in 1807. For the orators from 1771 to 1851, inclusive, see "The Hundred Boston Orators," by James Spear Loring (Boston, 1852), and the appendix to the oration of 1889 for the full names of the orators from 1773 to 1889, inclusive. See also list of "Fourth of July Orations" in Index to the City Documents 1834 to 1897.

Justices of the Police, Justices' and Municipal Courts.

The Police Court of the City of Boston was established in 1822, and at the same time the Justices' Court for the County of Suffolk (civil business) was established. The duties of the Justices of the Justices' Court were discharged by the Justices of the Police Court. The jurisdiction of the Justices' Court was transferred to the Police Court for civil business, June 1, 1860. In 1866 this court was succeeded by the *Municipal Court* of the City of Boston. The names of the successive Justices and their terms of office are as follows:

JUSTICES OF THE POLICE COURT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON, SERVING ALSO AS THE JUSTICES OF THE JUSTICES' COURT FOR THE COUNTY OF SUFFOLK.

Benjamin Whitman, 1822 to 1833, *Senior Justice.*
William Simmons, 1822 to 1843.
Henry Orne, 1822 to 1830.
John Gray Rogers, 1831 to 1866.
James Cushing Merrill, 1834 to 1852.
Abel Cushing, 1834 to 1858.
Thomas Russell, 1852 to 1858.
Sebeus C. Maine, 1858 to 1866.
George D. Wells, 1858 to 1864.
Edwin Wright, 1864 to 1866.

JUSTICES OF THE MUNICIPAL COURT OF THE CITY OF BOSTON.

John W. Bacon, *Chief Justice*, 1866 to 1871.
Mellen Chamberlain, 1866 to 1878. *Chief Justice*, 1871 to 1878.
Francis W. Hurd, 1866 to 1870.
Joseph M. Churchill, 1870 to 1886.
William E. Parmenter, 1871. *Chief Justice*, 1883.
J. Wilder May, *Chief Justice*, 1878 to 1883.
William J. Forsaith, 1882.
Matthew J. McCafferty, 1883 to 1885.
John H. Hardy, 1885 to 1896.
Benjamin R. Curtis, 1886 to 1891.
Frederick D. Ely, 1888.
John H. Burke, 1891.
John F. Brown, 1894.
George Z. Adams, 1896.

Mayors of the City of Boston.

From 1822 to the Present Time.

Name.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
*John Phillips	Boston....Nov. 26, 1770	May 29, 1823	1822....1
*Josiah Quincy	Boston....Feb. 4, 1772	July 1, 1864	1823-28.6
*Harrison Gray Otis	Boston....Oct. 8, 1765	Oct. 28, 1848	1829-31.3
*Charles Wells	Boston....Dec. 30, 1786	June 3, 1866	1832-33.2
*Theodore Lyman, jr.	Boston....Feb. 19, 1792	July 17, 1849	1834-35.2
*Samuel T. Armstrong	Dorchester....Apr. 29, 1784	Mar. 26, 1850	1836....1
*Samuel A. Eliot	Boston....Mar. 5, 1798	Jan. 29, 1862	1837-39.3
*Jonathan Chapman	Boston....Jan. 23, 1807	May 25, 1848	1840-42.3
*Martin Brimmer	Roxbury....June 8, 1793	April 25, 1847	1843-44.2
*Thomas A. Davis	Brookline....Dec. 11, 1798	Nov. 22, 1845	1845....1
*Josiah Quincy, jr.	Boston....Jan. 17, 1802	Nov. 2, 1882	1846-48.3
*John P. Bigelow	Groton....Aug. 25, 1797	July 4, 1872	1849-51.3
*Benjamin Seaver	Roxbury....Apr. 12, 1795	Feb. 14, 1856	1852-53.2
*Jerome V. C. Smith	Conway, N. H....July 20, 1800	Aug. 20, 1879	1854-55.2
*Alexander H. Rice	Newton....Aug. 30, 1818	July 22, 1895	1856-57.2
*Frederic W. Lincoln, jr.	Boston....Feb. 27, 1817	Sept. 13, 1898	1858-60.3
*Joseph M. Wightman	Boston....Oct. 19, 1812	Jan. 25, 1885	1861-62.2
Frederic W. Lincoln, jr.	(See above)....	(See above) .	1863-66.4
*Otis Norcross	Boston....Nov. 2, 1811	Sept. 5, 1882	1867....1
*Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	Boston....June 29, 1810	Oct. 17, 1874	1868-70.3
*William Gaston	Killingly, Conn....Oct. 3, 1820	Jan. 19, 1894	1871-72.2
*Henry L. Pierce	Stoughton, Mass....Aug. 23, 1825	Dec. 17, 1896	1873....1
*Samuel C. Cobb	Taunton....May 22, 1826	Feb. 18, 1891	1874-76.3
Frederick O. Prince	Boston....Jan. 18, 1818	....	1877. ..1
*Henry L. Pierce	(See above)....	(See above)..	1878....1
Frederick O. Prince	(See above)....	(See above)..	1879-81.3
Samuel A. Green	Groton....Mar. 16, 1830	....	1882....1
*Albert Palmer	Candia, N. H....Jan. 17, 1831	May 21, 1887	1883....1

* Deceased.

MAYORS OF THE CITY OF BOSTON. — *Concluded.*

NAME.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
Augustus P. Martin.....	Abbot, Me .....Nov. 23, 1835	.....	1884....1
*Hugh O'Brien	Ireland.....July 13, 1827	Aug. 1, 1895..	1885–88. 4
Thomas N. Hart	North Reading .....Jan. 20, 1829	.....	1889–90. 2
Nathan Matthews, jr.....	Boston .....Mar. 28, 1854	....	1891–94. 4
Edwin U. Curtis.....	Roxbury .....Mar. 26, 1861	....	1895–96. 1
†Josiah Quincy.....	Quincy .....Oct. 15, 1859	.....	1896–98.–

The election of Mayor for 1845 required eight ballotings by the citizens. At the eighth trial, on the twenty-first of February, Thomas A. Davis was elected. From January to February 27, 1845, William Parker, having been elected Chairman of the Board of Aldermen, performed the duties of Mayor.

On the twenty-second of November Thomas A. Davis died, being the only Mayor who has died in office since the organization of the City Government in 1822. On the eleventh of December, Josiah Quincy, jr., was elected Mayor by the City Council for the unexpired term of 1845. Benson Leavitt acted as Chairman of the Board in the interval between the death of Mr. Davis and the election of Mr. Quincy.

The election of Mayor for 1854 was continued through three ballotings, from December 12, 1853, to January 9, 1854. In the meantime the duties of Mayor were performed by Benjamin L. Allen, Chairman of the Board of Aldermen.

At the municipal election in 1872 William Gaston was certified, by the returns of the officers of the several wards, to have been elected Mayor of the city for the next municipal term. But, upon charges of alleged fraudulent practices in one of the wards of the city, a recount of all the ballots cast at said election was demanded and made; and it appearing therefrom that Henry L. Pierce had seventy-nine plurality, he was declared duly elected Mayor for the year 1873.

In 1873 Henry L. Pierce, Mayor of the city, was elected a member of the Forty-third Congress from the Third Massachusetts District, in place of William Whiting, deceased. Mr. Pierce resigned his office as Mayor on November 29, and took his seat in Congress on December 1, 1873. The duties of the Mayor for the remainder of the municipal year were performed by Leonard R. Cutter, Chairman of the Board of Aldermen.

* Deceased. † Elected for two years. Stat. 1895, chap. 449.

Aldermen.

The following table gives the Chairmen of the Board of Aldermen in order of service, with places and dates of birth:

NAME.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
*William Washburn	Lyme, N.H., Oct 7, 1808	Oct. 30, 1890	1855
* Pelham Bonney	Pembroke, Mass., Feb. 21, 1802	Apr. 29, 1861	1856–57
*Joseph Milner Wightman	Boston, Oct. 19, 1812	Jan. 25, 1885	1858
*Silas Peirce	Scituate, Feb. 15, 1793	Aug. 27, 1879	1859
*Otis Clapp	Westhampton, Mass., March 3, 1806	Sept. 18, 1886	1860
*Silas Peirce	(See above)	(See above).	1861
*Thomas Phillips Rich	Lynn, March 31, 1803	Dec. 11, 1875	1862
*Thomas Coffin Amory, jr	Boston, Aug. 16, 1812	Oct. 20, 1889	1863
* Otis Norcross	Boston, Nov. 2, 1811	Sept. 5, 1882	1864
* George Washington Messinger,	Boston, Feb. 5, 1813	Apr. 27, 1870	1865–66
*Charles Wesley Slack	Boston, Feb. 21, 1825	Apr. 11, 1885	1867
*George Washington Messinger,	(See above)	(See above).	1868
Benjamin James	Scituate, Aug. 22, 1814		1869
Newton Talbot	Stoughton, March 10, 1815		1870
* Charles Edward Jenkins	Scituate, July 29, 1817	Aug. 1, 1882	1871
Samuel Little	Hingham, Aug. 15, 1827		1872
* Leonard Richardson Cutter	Jaffrey, N.H., July 1, 1825	July 13, 1894	1873
*John Taylor Clark	Sanbornton, N.H., Sept. 19, 1825	Oct. 29, 1880	1874–77
Solomon Bliss Stebbins	Warren, Jan. 18, 1830		1878
*Hugh O'Brien	Ireland, July 13, 1827	Aug. 1, 1895	1879–81
Solomon Bliss Stebbins	(See above)		1882
*Hugh O'Brien	(See above)	(See above).	1883
*Charles Varney Whitten	Vassalboro', Me., May 10, 1829.	Mar. 18, 1891	1884 85
Charles Hastings Allen	Boston, June 14, 1828		1886
Patrick John Donovan	Charlestown, April 9, 1848		1887
Charles Hastings Allen	(See above)		1888
Homer Rogers	Sudbury, Oct. 11, 1840		1889
William Power Wilson	Baltimore, Md., Nov. 15, 1852		1890

* Deceased.

CHAIRMEN OF THE BOARD OF ALDERMEN. — *Concluded.*

Name.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
Herbert Schaw Carruth.....	Dorchester, Feb. 15, 1855.....	.....	1891
John Henry Lee.....	Boston, April 26, 1846.....	.....	1892–93
Alpheus Sanford.....	North Attleboro', July 5, 1856..	.....	1894–95
John Henry Lee.....	(See above).....	.....	1896
†Perlie A. Dyar.....	Lynn, Mass., March 26, 1857...	.....	1897-98
†Joseph A. Conry.....	Brookline, Mass., Sept. 12, 1868	.....	1898

* Deceased.

† Perlie A. Dyar from January 25, 1898, to April 1, 1898, and October 1, 1898, to end of year. Joseph A. Conry from April 1, 1898, to October 1, 1898.

The Mayor was *ex officio* Chairman of the Board of Aldermen until 1855.

Nathaniel P. Russell, Daniel Baxter and Joseph H. Dorr were re-elected, and Thomas C. Wales and Redford Webster, elected in 1825, declined.

George Blake, re-elected for 1826, declined.

In 1828 Robert Fennelly died while in office.

John Stevens, elected for 1832, died prior to the organization.

James Savage, elected for 1834, declined.

In 1845 William Parker resigned.

In 1848 George E. Head, resigned, and was chosen one of the Principal Assessors.

In 1853 Lyman Perry, who had been elected, died before his qualification.

In 1855 John M. Clark resigned, and was appointed sheriff of Suffolk County.

In 1856 Levi B. Meriam died while in office.

In 1858 Rufus B. Bradford resigned, and was afterwards appointed Measurer of Grain.

In 1859 Timothy A. Sumner resigned, on account of illness, and soon afterwards died.

In 1878 Samuel C. Perkins died while in office.

In 1879 Benjamin Pope died while in office.

In 1880 George E. Bell died while in office.

In 1885 Edwin F. Leighton died while in office.

In 1888 William P. Carroll died while in office.

The junior of Charles E. Folsom was omitted, 1894.

At the municipal election, in 1852, *nine* Aldermen had a majority of ballots; but in accordance with the statute, the eight who had the highest number of votes were declared elected.

The municipal government for 1855 was the first one that was organized under the new or revised city charter, which provided for the annual election of *twelve* Aldermen.

At the municipal election, December 14, 1880, the returns of the precinct officers showed William Frost to be elected Alderman by a plurality of fifteen votes over James J. Flynn, and a very slight difference in the number of ballots cast for other candidates who failed of election. A recount of the ballots cast for Mayor and Aldermen was thereupon demanded in legal form. A committee of the Board of 1880, having made the recount, reported December 27 that Mr. Flynn was elected, having received a plurality of votes over Mr. Frost; and Mr. Flynn took the seat at the organization of the board of 1881. Mr. Frost gave notice of his intention to contest the seat of Mr. Flynn and also of Mr. Haldeman, who had received the next greatest number of votes. A committee of the Board of 1881 was appointed to consider the matter, and reported March 14, 1881 (City Document No. 38 of 1881), the majority declaring Mr. Frost entitled to the seat held by Mr. Flynn, with two minority reports. The majority report was accepted March 21, and Mr. Frost took the seat. One peculiar incident in this case was the reception of a numerously signed petition asking the Board to examine and recount the ballots for Messrs. Woolley, Haldeman, and Flynn, sitting members, and Messrs. William Frost, John Thompson, and George S. Dexter, standing next highest on the precinct returns; another was the fact that many ballots were either mislaid or stolen in Precinct 3 of Ward 13 on election day.

At the municipal election, December 13, 1881, the returns of the precinct officers showed William Frost to be elected Alderman by a plurality of 154 votes over Charles V. Whitten. On petition, in due legal form, a committee of the Board of 1881 made a recount of the ballots cast for Mayor and Aldermen, and reported that Mr. Whitten was elected over Mr. Frost, and Mr. Whitten took the seat. Mr. Frost contested the seat of Mr. Whitten, and called for a re-examination of the ballots cast. Such examination was made by a new committee, which reported January 17 that William Frost had 19,861 and Charles V. Whitten had 19,825. On January 19, 1882, the seat was awarded to Mr. Frost.

For reports of *contested seats* in the Board of Aldermen, see City Document No. 7 for 1861, and City Document No. 16 for 1862.

At the municipal election, December 12, 1882, the returns of the precinct officers showed Edwin F. Leighton to be elected Alderman by a plurality of 102 votes over Joseph Caldwell. On petition in due legal form a committee of the Board of 1882 recounted the ballots cast for these two candidates, and reported December 26 that Joseph Caldwell appeared to be chosen by a plurality of 14, and that in addition there were found 3 ballots for "——— Caldwell," 1 for "E. F. Leighton," 18 for "F. Leighton," and 11 for "——— Leighton;" also that, "with the exception of the name 'E. F. Leighton,' which was written, the

abbreviated names above recited were plainly legible beyond the edges of 'stickers,' or 'pasters,' which covered and concealed the Christian names of Messrs. Caldwell and Leighton, those stickers having been pasted upon an adjoining name, but being of such length as to partly cover the names in question." The committee further reported that there was plainly no intent to cancel the names over which the stickers extended. Mr. Caldwell, who was a member of the Board of 1882, thereupon stated his intention of not appearing to claim a seat in the Board of 1883, and introduced an order, which was passed, declaring that, in the opinion of the Board, the abbreviated ballots should be credited to Mr. Leighton. The Board of 1883, on petition of Mr. Leighton, awarded him the seat at the first meeting, January 1.

Common Council.

The following table gives the Presidents of the Common Council in order of service, with places and dates of birth:

NAME.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
*William Prescott	Pepperell, Aug. 19, 1762	Dec. 8, 1844	1822
*John Welles	Boston, Oct. 14, 1764	Sept. 26, 1855.	1823
*Francis Johonnot Oliver	Boston, Oct. 10, 1777	Aug. 21, 1858.	1824–5
*John Richardson Adan	Boston, July 8, 1793	July 4, 1849	1826–8
*Eliphalet Williams	Taunton, Mass., March 7, 1778	June 12, 1855.	1829
*Benjamin Toppan Pickman	Salem, Sept. 17, 1790	Mar. 22, 1835.	1830–31
*John Prescott Bigelow	Groton, Aug. 25, 1797	July 4, 1872	1832
*Josiah Quincy, jr	Boston, Jan. 17, 1802	Nov. 2, 1882	1834–36
*Philip Marett	Boston, Sept. 25, 1792	Mar. 22, 1869.	1837–40
*Edward Blake	Boston, Sept. 28, 1805	Sept. 4, 1873	1841–43
*Peleg Whitman Chandler	New Gloucester, Me., April 12, 1816	May 28, 1889.	1844–45
*George Stillman Hillard	Machias, Me., Sept. 22, 1808	Jan. 21, 1879.	1846–47[1]
*Benjamin Seaver	Roxbury, April 12, 1795	Feb. 14, 1856.	1847[2]–49
*Francis Brinley	Boston, Nov. 10, 1800	June 14, 1889.	1850–51
*Henry Joseph Gardner	Dorchester, June 14, 1818	July 19, 1892.	1852–53
*Alexander Hamilton Rice	Newton, Aug. 30, 1818	July 22, 1895.	1854
Joseph Story	Marblehead, Nov. 11, 1822		1855
Oliver Stevens	Andover, Mass., June 22, 1825		1856–57
*Samuel Wallace Waldron, jr	Portsmouth, N.H., Oct. 24, 1828.	Aug. 24, 1882.	1858
*Josiah Putnam Bradlee	Boston, June 10, 1817	Feb. 2, 1887	1859–60
*Joseph Hildreth Bradley	Haverhill, March 5, 1822	Oct. 5, 1882	1861
*Joshua Dorsey Ball	Baltimore, Md., July 11, 1828	Dec. 18, 1892.	1862
*George Silsbee Hale	Keene, N.H., Sept. 24, 1825	July 27, 1897.	1863–64
William Bentley Fowle, jr	Boston, July 27, 1826		1865
Joseph Story	(See above.)		1866
*Weston Lewis	Hingham, April 14, 1834	April 6, 1893.	1867

*Deceased. [1]To July 1. [2]From July 1.

PRESIDENTS OF THE COMMON COUNCIL. — *Concluded.*

Name.	Place and Date of Birth.	Died.	Term of Service.
Charles Hastings Allen	Boston, June 14, 1828		1868
*William Giles Harris	Revere, May 15, 1828	Oct. 29, 1897.	1869
Melville Ezra Ingalls	Harrison, Me., Sept. 6, 1842		1870
Matthias Rich	Truro, June 8, 1820		1871
Marquis Fayette Dickinson, jr.	Amherst, Jan. 16, 1840		1872
Edward Olcott Shepard	Hampton, N. H., Nov. 25, 1835		1873–74
Halsey Joseph Boardman	Norwich, Vt., May 19, 1834		1875
John Quincy Adams Brackett	Bradford, N. H., June 8, 1842		1876
*Benjamin Pope	Waterford, Ire., Jan. 13., 1829	Sept. 24, 1879.	1877–78
William Henry Whitmore	Dorchester, Sept. 6, 1836		1879
Harvey Newton Shepard	Boston, July 8, 1850		1880
Andrew Jackson Bailey	Charlestown, July 18, 1840		1881 [1]
*Charles Edward Pratt	Vassalboro, Me., March 13, 1845.	Aug. 20, 1898.	1881 [2]–82
*James Joseph Flynn	St. John, N. B., 1835	Mar. 26, 1884.	1883 [3]
Godfrey Morse	Wachenheim, Germany, May 17, 1846		1883 [4]
John Henry Lee	Boston, April 26, 1846		1884
Edward John Jenkins	London, England, Dec. 20, 1854.		1885–86
David Franklin Barry	Sturgis place, a part of old Fort Hill, Boston, Feb. 28, 1852		1887–88
Horace Gwynne Allen	Jamaica Plain, July 27, 1855		1889–90
David Franklin Barry	(See above)		1891–93
Christopher F. O'Brien	Boston, Feb. 17, 1869		1894–95
Joseph A. Conry	Brookline, Mass., Sept. 12, 1868.		1896–97
Timothy L. Connolly	Boston, October 5, 1871		1898

[1] To Oct. 27.
[2] From Oct. 27.
[3] To June 11.
[4] From June 14.

* Deceased.

William Bowes Bradford, Ward 3, elected 1822, did not qualify, declining to be sworn, there being then no provision for affirmation, except for Quakers.

Lucius Manlius Sargent, Ward 5, elected for 1827, declined.

Henry D. Gray and Isaac Harris, Ward 1, Eleazer Howard, Ward 2, and Joseph H. Thayer, Ward 9, elected for 1828; also, Holmes Hinkley, Ward 11, for 1845, declined prior to the organization.

Samuel Thaxter, Ward 6, elected for 1830, declined.

William Foster, Ward 6, elected for 1831, declined.

John Boles, Ward 3, re-elected for 1838, declined.

The Junior of George Morey was omitted 1828.

Asa Adams, Ward 3, took the intermediate name of Perry, 1830.

Henry Andrews, Ward 2, elected in 1833, afterwards took the intermediate letter R.

The Junior of Joshua Seaver, Ward 6, was omitted 1833.

The Junior of Henry Fowle, Ward 2, was omitted 1837.

The Junior of Francis Brinley, Ward 10, was omitted 1838.

The Junior of Ezra Lincoln was omitted 1851.

The Junior of William B. Fowle was omitted 1865.

Ezra Forristall, Ward 6, resigned in May, 1853, and was elected Superintendent of Health.

Daniel J. Coburn, Ward 5, resigned in April, 1856, and was thereafter appointed Chief of Police.

Edward F. Robinson, Ward 11, resigned in May, 1861, and was elected a Principal Assessor.

Charles J. McCarthy, Ward 7, resigned in March, 1862, and was appointed Paymaster of Relief Funds to families of soldiers in the United States service from Boston.

Daniel Dowd, a member from Ward 13, died in office, September, 1872.

Thomas H. Doherty, of Ward 2, died in office, August, 1873.

Hillman B. Barnes, of Ward 11, died in office, September, 1874.

Edward J. Long, of Ward 8, died in office, November, 1875.

Stephen G. Jones, of Ward 4, resigned in March, 1876.

Thomas J. Fitzpatrick, of Ward 13, died in office, March, 1876.

Joseph Healy, of Ward 10, died in office, April 18, 1880.

George T. Perkins, of Ward 17, died in office, December 7, 1880.

Daniel J. Sweeney, Porter street, Ward 2, East Boston, and re-elected to the Common Council of 1881, died in office, December 19, 1880.

Eugene B. Hagar, of Ward 10, resigned June 16, 1881, and was appointed Assistant City Solicitor.

Andrew J. Bailey, of Ward 4, resigned October 27, 1881, and was chosen City Solicitor.

Nahum M. Morrison, of Ward 23, resigned March 16, 1882, and was appointed Assistant Inspector of Buildings.

Abraham T. Rogers, of Ward 22, resigned July 13, 1882, and was appointed Assistant Inspector of Buildings.

William L. Harding, of Ward 3, died in office, March 4, 1882.

James J. Flynn, of Ward 13, resigned in June, 1883, and was chosen Superintendent of Streets.

Cornelius F. Doherty, of Ward 2, resigned in July, 1883, and was appointed in the Service Division of the Water Department.

Michael J. Houghton, of Ward 6, resigned in July, 1883, and was appointed Assistant Superintendent in the Inspection and Waste Division of the Water Department.

Eugene D. Sullivan, of Ward 12, resigned in September, 1883, and was appointed Clerk in the City Collector's Department.

George E. Bacon, of Ward 4, resigned March 6, 1884.

Francis P. Maguire, of Ward 8, resigned February 20, 1884.

William J. Kilduff, of Ward 19, died in office, December 7, 1884.

William M. Osborne, of Ward 21, resigned August 27, 1885, and was appointed a member of the Board of Police.

Neil J. Gillespie, of Ward 7, died in office, November 28, 1888.

Charles J. Brooks, of Ward 10, died in office, January 21, 1889.

Thomas F. Nunan, of Ward 15, died in office, August 13, 1889.

Francis W. Sprague, 2d, of Ward 10, resigned October 10, 1889.

Horace Bacon, of Ward 23, resigned April 10, 1891.

John P. O'Connor, of Ward 14, died in office, October 3, 1895.

Timothy J. Butler, of Ward 12, died in office, March 15, 1896.

Edward C. Cadigan, of Ward 15, died in office, July 2, 1897.

The principal successfully contested elections may be summarily described as follows:

(1.) The Common Council, on December 29, 1828, declared vacant the seats of two members (one from Ward 1 and one from Ward 2), because the said members having each accepted another office, viz.: that of Engineer in the Fire Department, were not entitled to their seats.

(2.) On February 22, 1830, the Council vacated the seat of a member from Ward 6, on the ground that "closing the poll before the hour at which the voters were notified it would be closed was a violation of the rights of the voters."

(3.) On May 7, 1835, the Council vacated the seats of the members of Ward 3, who were returned as having been elected at an adjourned meeting, December 11, 1834, on the ground of irregular proceeding, to render the whole number of votes certain by taking the highest number of votes for candidates on each opposing ticket, adjournment of the meeting by the sole authority of the Warden, and other irregularities, at the annual election, December 8.

(4.) On March 7, 1839, the Council vacated the seats of three members of Ward 12, on the ground that a number of illegal voters, sufficient to affect the choice, voted at the polls.

(5.) On January 19, 1843, the Council vacated the seats of three members from Ward 1, returned as elected at the adjourned meeting, December 14, on the ground that four votes for non-resident candidates

(after having been first thrown out by the ward officers)[1] were counted at the annual election, December 12, thereby preventing the choice of two other candidates, who, by excluding the said four votes, were by the decision of the Council declared elected, leaving one vacancy.

(6.) On February 27, 1851, the Council vacated the seats of two members from Ward 3, on the ground that they were chosen at an adjourned meeting which was illegally held. At a subsequent election the same members were again returned to the Common Council.

(7.) On January 20, 1853, the seats of three members of Ward 3 were declared vacated on the ground that they were chosen at an adjourned meeting which was illegally held.

(8.) On February 3, 1853, in accordance with the Report of the Committee on Elections, the seats of three members from Ward 11 were vacated on the ground that the Mayor and Aldermen had no right to issue warrants for election of members of the Common Council, after the annual election and before the organization of the government-elect. But inasmuch as the elections in question were conducted *bona fide*, and no other informality was apparent, and as this custom of supplementary elections had been in vogue for twenty years, the members thus elected were by the vote of the Common Council declared entitled to their seats.

(9.) On March 19, 1863, in accordance with the Report of the Committee on Elections, the Council vacated the seat of a member from Ward 3 on the ground that at the time of his election he was not an inhabitant of that ward. Before a decision was reached on this point the member in question resigned.

(10.) On April 9, 1863, the Council vacated the seats of the entire delegation from Ward 10, on the ground that more votes were returned than there were persons who voted in that ward at the municipal election, — occasioned by mistake, probably, in the counting of the ballots, — the variation being so great as to affect the election of the whole delegation. At the subsequent election the same members were again returned to the Common Council.

(11.) On January 21, 1867, the seat of a member from Ward 3, who was chosen at an *adjourned meeting* (held on account of a tie-vote at the regular meeting, December 10, 1866), was vacated on the ground that the polls at said adjourned meeting were not kept open the same number of hours as were required by the original warrant. At a subsequent election the same member was returned to the Common Council. (See City Document No. 12, for 1867).

(12.) On January 16, 1868, the seat of a member returned from Ward 10 was vacated, because, by the count of the original ballots cast in said ward, it appeared that another person was chosen.

(13.) On January 6, 1870, the Council vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 13, for the same reason as is recited above.

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[1] This fact was admitted, though not stated in the report of the committee.

(14.) On January 5, 1871, the Council vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 15, for the same reason as is recited above.

(15.) The Council, on January 18, 1872, vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 7 for the same reason.

(16.) At the annual municipal election in 1871, Frederick S. Risteen was declared elected as a member from Ward 10. The election was contested by J. Q. A. Brackett, and a recount of the original ballots showed that said Brackett was elected by a plurality of one ballot over F. S. Risteen, and said Brackett was accordingly declared by the Common Council of 1872 to be entitled to the seat. Subsequently Mr. Risteen contested this decision, on the ground that his name was erased from a number of ballots by some one of the ward officers *after* said ballots were deposited by the voters. After a protracted inquiry the Common Council sustained this view of the case, and Mr. Risteen was again returned to his former seat, and was again duly qualified on February 1, 1872. (See City Document No. 18, for 1872.)

(17.) On January 4, 1874, the Council vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 13, because, by the count of the original ballots cast in said ward, it appeared that another person was chosen.

(18.) On January 14, 1875, the Council vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 1, because, by the count of the original ballots cast in said ward, it appeared that another person was elected.

(19.) On January 4, 1877, the Council vacated the seat of a member from Ward 20, because, by the count of the original ballots cast in said ward, it appeared that another person was elected.

(20.) The Council, on January 10, 1878, vacated the seat of a member from Ward 20, because, by the count of the original ballots cast in that ward, it appeared that another person was chosen.

(21.) The Council, on December 27, 1880 (see records of Board of Aldermen of said date), vacated the seats of one member from each of the following-named wards, *viz.:* 3, 13, 16 and 19, because, from an examination of the original ballots cast in said wards, it appeared that other persons were chosen. From an examination made at the same time of the original ballots cast in Ward 5, it appeared that instead of there being a tie vote for a third member from said ward, three members were duly chosen. Peculiar features of the case in Ward 13 were that some of the ballots undoubtedly deposited by the voters of Precinct 3 of this ward were either mislaid or stolen at the polling-place, and that the Committee of the Board of Aldermen of 1880, who examined the ballots for Common Council in that ward, erroneously reported that the sitting member had been duly elected. (See City Document No. 54, of 1881.)

(22.) On April 14, 1881, the Council vacated the seat of a member returned from Ward 13, as it appeared from inspection of the original ballots that another person was elected.

(23.) In 1887 one seat in the representation of Ward 4 and one in that of Ward 15 were vacated and the contestants declared elected by

the Council, the Council exercising its discretion as to the intent of the voter in certain cases of technical irregularity. (See City Documents Nos. 6, 11, of 1887.)

(24.) In 1889 one seat in the representation of Ward 3 and one in that of Ward 12 were vacated and the contestants declared elected by the Council, the intent of the voter in cases of technical irregularity being considered.[1]

The longest continuous service in the City Council is that of David F. Barry, member of the Common Council from 1880 to 1893 (President in 1887, '88, '91, '92, '93), and a member of the Board of Aldermen in 1894, '95, '96 and '97. Eliphalet Williams (President of the Common Council, 1829) served fifteen years, but not consecutively. James J. Flynn served twelve years in the Common Council (President, 1883) and three years in the Board of Aldermen. Thomas Wetmore served eleven years, not consecutively, in the Board of Aldermen.

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[1] See "Reports of Controverted Elections in the Common Council of the City of Boston from 1827 to 1889." Boston: 1889, pp. xvii. and 257.

City Government, 1891-97.

1891.

MAYOR.
NATHAN MATTHEWS, JR.

ALDERMEN.
HERBERT S. CARRUTH, *Chairman.*

First District.—John H. Sullivan.
Second District.—Benjamin F. Stacey.
Third District.—Thomas F. Keenan.
Fourth District.—George von L. Meyer.
Fifth District.—Nathaniel J. Rust.
Sixth District.—Edward J. Leary.
Seventh District.—Thomas W. Flood.
Eighth District.—Weston Lewis.
Ninth District.—Martin Regan.
Tenth District.—Lewis G. Farmer.
Eleventh District.—John H. Lee.
Twelfth District.—Herbert S. Carruth.

J. Mitchel Galvin, *City Clerk.*

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Hugh L. Stalker.

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Patrick C. Kelly,
Thomas Arthur,
William J. Donovan.

Ward 3.
William J. Doherty,
John J. Mahoney,
Michael J. Tierney.

Ward 4.
Henry W. Woodbury,
William H. Boardman,
Myron D. Cressy.

Ward 5.
John Hurley,
James W. O'Brien,
Elliott D. Robbins.

Ward 6.
Neil F. Doherty,
Charles Carroll,
John J. Irving.

Ward 7.
Edward P. Clark,
Patrick F. Brogan,
Cornelius H. Toland.

Ward 8.
Michael B. Gilbride,
Patrick Higgins,
Hugh McLaughlin.

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Albert H. Hall,
Nelson G. Gaskins,
Seth P. Smith.

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Bowdoin S. Parker,
Arthur L. Spring,
Clarence P. Weston.

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Francis C. Lowell,
Charles W. Hallstram,
Frank H. Briggs.

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John F. J. Mulhall,
Daniel P. Toomey,
John Quinn, jr.

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John H. Griffin,
Andrew J. Quinn.

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James H. Coughlin,
John A. Daunt,
Josiah S. Dean.

Ward 15.
Joseph J. Casey,
Charles H. Dirksmeyer,
Timothy J. Sullivan.

Ward 16.
David F. Barry,
John B. Cadigan,
Abraham Levy.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

Ward 17.
S. Edward Shaw,
William R. Browne,
William Gordon.

Ward 18.
George E. Lovett,
Abraham C. Ratshesky,
Thomas Talbot.

Ward 19.
Thomas F. Lyons,
Mark H. Lynch,
William J. Murphy.

Ward 20.
Charles H. Dolan,
Hugh Gilligan,
William B. McClellan.

Ward 21.
Horace G. Allen,
Benjamin F. Brown,
Melancthon W. Burlen.

Ward 22.
John F. Kinney,
George H. Murray.

Ward 23.
Franklin P. Pierce,
Frank F. Proctor,
John J. Kane.[1]

Ward 24.
Walter L. Hayes,
Charles E. Folsom, jr.,
Fred H. Young.

Ward 25.
Henry B. Goodenough,
Frederic Eaton.

[1] Elected June 3, 1891, in place of Horace Bacon, resigned.

1892.

MAYOR.

NATHAN MATTHEWS, JR.

ALDERMEN.

JOHN H. LEE, *Chairman.*

First District.—John H. Sullivan.
Second District.—Michael J. Mitchell.
Third District.—Thomas F. Keenan.
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John J. Healy.

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Hubert B. Curley.

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John B. Patterson.

Ward 25.
Henry B. Goodenough,
Edward Farrell,
Frank H. Ricker.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

1893.

MAYOR.

NATHAN MATTHEWS, JR.

ALDERMEN.

JOHN H. LEE, *Chairman.*

First District.— Charles T. Witt.
Second District.— Michael J. Mitchell.
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Fourth District.— Jacob Fottler.
Fifth District.— Charles W. Hallstram.
Sixth District.— John J. Maguire.
Seventh District.— Thomas W. Flood.
Eighth District.— Alpheus Sanford.
Ninth District.— William L. Mooney.
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Charles J. Jacobs.

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James H. Kelly.

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Herbert M. Manks,
John B. Patterson,
George I. Robinson, jr.

Ward 25.
J. Harris Aubin,
Henry B. Goodenough,
Samuel H. Mitchell.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

1894.

MAYOR.
NATHAN MATTHEWS, JR.

ALDERMEN.[1]
ALPHEUS SANFORD, *Chairman.*

John H. Lee,
Jacob Fottler,
John F. Dever,
Alpheus Sanford,
Charles W. Hallstram,
Charles E. Folsom,
Martin M. Lomasney,
Charles T. Witt,
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Charles H. Bryant,
Bordman Hall,
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Martin F. Connorton.

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J. Henderson Allston,
Stanley Ruffin.

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Walter L. Sears.

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Jeffrey R. Eagar, jr.

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Michael J. Reidy.

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Timothy J. Wholey.

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William M. McInnes.

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Edward H. Costello,
Thomas Reynolds.

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James H. Kelly,
Frederick A. Wood.

Ward 24.
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Herbert M. Manks,
George I. Robinson, jr.

Ward 25.
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Samuel H. Mitchell,
Eugene A. Reed, jr.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

[1] Statutes of 1893, Chap. 473, provides for the election of Aldermen-at-large, instead of by districts.

1895.

MAYOR.

EDWIN U. CURTIS.

ALDERMEN.

ALPHEUS SANFORD, *Chairman.*

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Charles T. Witt,
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Charles H. Bryant,
Edward W. Presho,
Thomas W. Flood,
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Ward 4.
Martin F. Connorton,
George A. Garland,
William E. Mahoney.

Ward 5.
William J. Miller,
James T. Roche,
James J. Brock.

Ward 6.
Jeremiah E. Mahoney,
Christopher F. O'Brien,
James A. Doherty.

Ward 7.
Patrick J. Carroll,
George F. Coleman,
James C. Murphy.

Ward 8.
David T. King,
Daniel A. Whelton,
Simon Hirshon.

Ward 9.
J. Henderson Allston,
Stanley Ruffin,
John R. Foster.

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Edward H. Maguire,
Walter L. Sears,
Edward S. Crockett.

Ward 11.
Frank H. Briggs,
Charles H. Hall,
George U. Crocker.

Ward 12.
Michael T. Callahan,
Timothy J. Crowley,
Timothy J. Butler.

Ward 13.
Michael W. Norris,
John J. Browne,
William H. Woods.

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John E. Baldwin,
John H. Dunn,
John P. O'Connor.

Ward 15.
Michael J. Reidy,
Edward C. Cadigan,
John J. Mahoney.

Ward 16.
Timothy J. Wholey,
Patrick Bowen,
John J. Gartland, Jr.

Ward 17.
William Berwin,
Freeman O. Emerson,
Benjamin C. Lane.

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John H. Colby,
John W. Johnson,
G. Waldon Smith.

Ward 19.
Daniel F. Connor,
George W. Bennett,
Michael E. Gaddis.

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Patrick E. Riddle,
Edwin S. Fields,
Timothy E. McCarthy.

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Samuel C. Jones,
Alfred Newmarch.

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Edward H. Costello,
Thomas Reynolds,
Charles Jacobs.

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Frederick A. Wood,
Chauncy K. Bullock,
Edward Orchard.

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Herbert M. Manks,
Franklin L. Codman,
Walter W. Strangman.

Ward 25.
Eugene A. Reed, jr.,
William M. Farrington,
Francis F. Morton.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

1896.

MAYOR.

JOSIAH QUINCY.[1]

ALDERMEN.

JOHN H. LEE, *Chairman.*

John H. Lee,
Charles E. Folsom,
David F. Barry,
Charles H. Bryant,
Edward W. Presho,
Horace G. Allen,
Perlie A. Dyar,
Bordman Hall,
William F. Donovan,
William J. Donovan,
John J. Mahoney,
Salem D. Charles.

J. Mitchel Galvin, *City Clerk.*

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John E. Lowden,
Collingwood C. Millar.

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Joseph A. Conry,
John L. Kelly,
William B. Whitney.

Ward 3.
Peter F. Tague,
James F. Haley,
John J. O'Callaghan.

Ward 4.
Martin F. Connorton,
William E. Mahoney,
John E. McCarthy.

Ward 5.
William J. Miller,
James J. Brock,
Dennis J. Falvey.

Ward 6.
James A. Doherty,
John A. Ryan,
James H. Shannon.

Ward 7.
James C. Murphy,
Michael J. McColgan,
John A. Rowan.

Ward 8.
Simon Hirshon,
Francis J. Horgan,
Daniel J. Kiley.

Ward 9.
Stanley Ruffin,
John R. Foster,
Nelson I. Southwick.

Ward 10.
Edward H. McGuire,
Alfred H. Colby,
Calvin M. Lewis.

Ward 11.
Frank H. Briggs,
George U. Crocker,
Alfred F. Kinney.

Ward 12.
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Timothy J. Butler,
John J. Falvey.

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James T. Mahony, jr.
Partrick J. O'Toole.

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John E. Baldwin,
John H. Dunn,
William P. Hickey.

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Edward C. Cadigan,
John J. Mahoney,
Thomas F. Donovan.

Ward 16.
Patrick Bowen,
John Dugan,
David McCarthy.

Ward 17.
Benjamin C. Lane,
George Y. Banchor,
Charles H. Innes.

Ward 18.
G. Waldon Smith,
Sidney Moulthrop,
Arthur G. Wood.

Ward 19.
Michael E. Gaddis,
Thomas L. Noonan,
George O. Whittaker.

Ward 20.
Patrick E. Riddle,
Timothy E. McCarthy,
Timothy L. Connolly.

Ward 21.
Samuel C. Jones,
Alfred Newmarch,
Albert C. Sawyer.

Ward 22.
Edward H. Costello,
Charles Jacobs,
Charles P. Nangle.

Ward 23.
Edward Orchard,
Charles W. Dennis,
John A. Maier, jr.

Ward 24.
Franklin L. Codman,
Walter W. Strangman,
Thomas C. Bachelder.

Ward 25.
William M. Farrington,
Francis F. Morton,
Elmer E. Chain.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

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John H. Lee,
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Perlie A. Dyar,
William F. Donovan,
William J. Donovan,
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William J. Cronin,
James H. Donovan.

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John J. O'Callaghan,
Henry B. Carroll,
John I. Toland.

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William E. Mahoney,
John W. Donohue,
Joseph A. Turnbull.

Ward 5.
William J. Miller,
James J. Brock,
Dennis J. Falvey.

Ward 6.
John A. Rowan,
James H. Shannon,
Michael J. Donovan.

Ward 7.
William T. A. Fitzgerald,
Thomas Mackey,
William H. Roth.

Ward 8.
Francis J. Horgan,
Daniel J. Kiley,
Louis Sonnabend.

Ward 9.
Patrick Bowen,
Michael Leonard,
Maurice J. McCarthy.

Ward 10.
Alfred F. Kinney,
George S. Brooks,
Walter E. Nichols.

Ward 11.
Frank H. Briggs,
Charles R. Saunders,
George Holden Tinkham.

Ward 12.
Arthur G. Wood,
John B. Dumond,
Edward P. Sands.

Ward 13.
Hugh W. Bresnahan,
James T. Mahony, jr.,
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William P. Hickey,
James F. Mulcahy.

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Edward C. Cadigan.[2]
John J. Mahoney,
Daniel V. McIsaac.

Ward 16.
Oliver F. Davenport,
Frederick W. Farwell,
Arthur P. Russell.

Ward 17.
Timothy E. McCarthy,
Timothy L. Connolly,
John P. Lanergan.

Ward 18.
Michael E. Gaddis,
James J. Casey,
John H. Daly.

Ward 19.
Charles P. Nangle,
John F. Dempsey,
John J. Flanagan.

Ward 20.
Wilbur F. Adams,
Edwin D. Bell,
Louis T. Howard.

Ward 21.
Samuel C. Jones,
Alfred Newmarch,
Albert C. Sawyer.

Ward 22.
John A. Maier,
Charles F. Adams,
William Dallow, jr.

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Edward Orchard,
Charles W. Dennis,
Konrad Young.

Ward 24.
William E. Harvey,
Willard W. Hibbard,
Harry B. Whall.

Ward 25.
William M. Farrington,
Ezra N. Rolland,
William D. Wheeler.

Joseph O'Kane, *Clerk.*

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1638	.....	.....	[1] 150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1675	.....	.....	[1] 4,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1698	.....	.....	[1] 7,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1704	.....	.....	[1] 6,750	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1720	.....	.....	[1] 11,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1722	Town	.....	10,567	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1742	Town	.....	16,382	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1752	Town	.....	15,731	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1765	Province	.....	15,520	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,487	1,360	.....	.....	2,031
1775	Gen. Gage	.....	6,573	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1776	Province	.....	2,719	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,433	1,513	.....	.....	360
1781	Province	.....	[1] 10,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	[1] 1,650	[1] 1,840	.....	.....	[1] 725
1784	Province	.....	[1] 15,870	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	[1] 2,150	[1] 2,060	.....	.....	[1] 1,340
1789	Town	.....	[1] 17,880	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1790	United States,	18,320	18,038	282	.....	282	.....	.....	2,226	1,722	.....	.....	1,583
1800	United States,	24,937	24,655	282	.....	[2] 282	.....	.....	2 765	2,347	.....	.....	2,751
1810	United States,	33,787	32,896	891	18	519	354	.....	3,669	2,930	.....	608	4,959
1820	United States,	43,298	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4 135	3,684	.....	702	6,591
1825	City	58,277	56,003	2,274	24	264	1,986	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1830	United States,	61,392	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,247	4,074	.....	972	8,783
1835	City	78,603	72,057	6,546	607	344	5,595	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1840	United States,	93,383	85,475	7,908	1,455	277	6,176	.....	9,089	4,875	.....	1,425	11,484
1845	City	114,366	99,036	15,330	5,018	292	10,020	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
1850	United States,	136,881	113,721	23,160	9,526	325	13,309	.....	18,364	7,969	.....	2,356	17,216
1855	State	160,490	126,296	34,194	15,433	[1] 530	16,912	[2] 1,319	18,469	8,340	4,812	2,895	21,700
1860	United States,	177,840	133,563	44,277	18,356	[1] 1,000	24,921	.....	25,187	9,769	6,310	3,375	25,065
1865	State	192,318	141 083	51,235	20,572	[1] 1,300	29,363	.....	28,426	10,717	6,912	3,854	26,399
1870	United States,	250,526	138,781	111,745	23,816	[1] 1,700	39,215	.....	34,753	12,261	8,686	4,967	28,323
1875	State	341,919	140,669	201,250	27,420	1,927	[1] 54,147	.....	50,429	15,788	11,783	6,200	33,556
1880	United States,	362,839	147,075	215,764	28,381	1,545	56,369	.....	[1] 57,123	[1] 17,890	14,032	6,693	33,731
1885	State	390,393	147,138	243,225	29,280	2,139	61,534	.....	65,968	20,717	17,424	8,523	37,673
1890	United States,	448,477	161,330	287,147	[3] 36,930	.....	66,791	.....	78,411	29,638	24,997	12,032	38,348
1895	State	496,920	160,349	336,571	39,889	2,706	67,913	.....	92,088	45,909	32,761	15,001	40,304

[1] Estimated. [2] Included in South Boston after 1855. [3] Including Islands.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

1874.			1875.			
WARD.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1874.	Total Voting List, Dec. 15, 1874.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1875.	Registered for State Election.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 2, 1875.	WARD.
1.....	7,409	5,140	7,323	3,049	2,131	 1
2.....	5,444	2,922	5,519	2,122	1,709	 2
3.....	4,208	2,714	3,982	1,594	1,188	 3
4.....	3,081	2,029	2,212	1,164	875	 4
5.....	1,382	1,183	2,112	817	712	 5
6.....	3,338	2,699	3,385	1,925	1,344	 6
7.....	7,537	2,712	7,569	1,748	1,349	 7
8.....	3,507	2,155	3,527	1,120	825	 8
9.....	4,139	3,216	4,384	1,913	1,373	 9
10.....	4,016	2,895	4,017	1,899	1,364	10
11.....	4,450	3,738	4,669	2,471	1,726	11
12.....	7,212	4,627	7,078	3,013	1,984	12
13.....	2,588	1,535	2,519	1,003	709	13
14.....	3,828	2,904	3,907	2,076	1,474	14
15.....	5,437	2,773	5,606	2,010	1,354	15
16.....	4,062	3,261	4,333	2,693	1,466	16
17.....	2,863	2,187	2,859	1,980	1,354	17
19.....	1,535	1,151	1,661	975	526	19
20.....	2,736	2,204	2,710	1,700	1,271	20
21.....	2,939	2,561	2,991	2,000	1,416	21
22.....	2,973	2,439	2,995	1,863	1,230	22
Total...	84,684	57,045	85,358	39,135	27,380	...Total

NOTE.—There was no Ward 18 in 1874-75. It was established on November 16, 1875.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

1875.			1876.					
Ward.	Registered for City Election.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 14, 1875.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1876.	Registered for National Election, 1876.	Vote for President, Nov. 7, 1876.	Registered for City Election, 1876.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 12, 1876.	Ward.
1.....	1,709	1,068	3,372	2,134	1,927	2,135	1,313	 1
2.....	1,376	891	3,516	1,942	1,780	1,942	1,201	 2
3.....	1,927	1,258	2,736	2,025	1,871	2,022	1,176	 3
4.....	1,733	1,003	2,767	1,883	1,708	1,884	951	 4
5.....	1,928	1,287	3,037	2,020	1,820	2,024	1,215	 5
6.....	1,492	1,073	3,625	2,116	1,971	2,112	1,616	 6
7.....	1,313	944	3,324	1,781	1,639	1,791	1,343	 7
8.....	1,366	922	3,056	1,682	1,558	1,685	1,125	 8
9.....	1,550	1,136	3,608	1,919	1,754	1,923	1,159	 9
10.....	1,414	1,025	2,368	1,652	1,490	1,669	1,103	10
11.....	1,787	1,443	3,276	2,148	1,943	2,152	1,510	11
12.....	1,376	986	3,678	1,892	1,712	1,894	1,227	12
13.....	1,335	840	4,817	1,842	1,757	1,861	1,196	13
14.....	1,881	1,250	4,236	2,276	2,052	2,278	1,343	14
15.....	1,388	919	3,090	1,755	1,605	1,757	1,079	15
16.....	1,103	736	3,362	1,633	1,563	1,634	1,081	16
17.....	1,743	1,214	3,219	2,097	1,935	2,111	1,414	17
18.....	2,023	1,560	2,977	2,254	2,015	2,259	1,475	18
19.....	1,498	937	4,239	1,947	1,741	1,962	1,260	19
20.....	1,744	1,200	3,629	2,096	1,928	2,110	1,428	20
21.....	1,908	1,448	2,951	2,095	1,905	2,098	1,304	21
22.....	1,839	1,091	2,687	1,205	1,136	1,208	808	22
23.....	2,070	1,472	3,080	2,294	2,031	2,323	1,293	23
24.....	2,340	1,413	3,643	2,590	2,255	2,596	1,276	24
25.....	Included	in Wd. 22	1,633	1,231	1,113	1,232	767	25
Total..	39,843	27,116	81,326	48,509	44,209	48,662	30,663	.. Total

Note. — The new wards, 1-24, were established on November 16, 1875. On May 27, 1876, Ward 22 was divided into new Ward 22 and Ward 25. The wards as then established remained without change till 1895. New wards were established on April 30, 1895, but were not used for purposes of election or assessment of taxes until 1896.

The vote of Boston for Governor in 1876 was 43,795.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

	1877.					1878.					
Ward.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1877.	Registered for State Election, 1877.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 6, 1877.	Registered for City Election, 1877.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 11, 1877.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1878.	Registered for State Election, 1878.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 6, 1878.	Registered for City Election, 1878.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 10, 1878.	Ward.
1	3,446	1,986	1,509	2,349	1,998	3,547	2,270	1,975	2,268	1,502	1
2	3,689	1,747	1,296	2,174	1,889	3,620	2,089	1,834	2,096	1,431	2
3	2,919	1,842	1,441	2,195	1,912	2,888	2,072	1,867	2,061	1,395	3
4	2,813	1,565	1,175	1,943	1,636	2,866	1,940	1,683	1,926	1,137	4
5	2,956	1,761	1,331	2,060	1,780	3,049	2,011	1,757	1,999	1,303	5
6	4,165	1,801	1,442	2,222	2,000	4,066	2,003	1,824	2,009	1,582	6
7	3,602	1,636	1,327	2,153	1,948	3,821	2,015	1,819	2,029	1,576	7
8	3,374	1,558	1,265	1,968	1,730	3,480	1,898	1,684	1,898	1,449	8
9	3,048	1,718	1,325	2,060	1,790	3,046	1,887	1,653	1,900	1,378	9
10	2,512	1,542	1,252	1,800	1,579	2,752	1,738	1,572	1,752	1,335	10
11	3,535	2,107	1,636	2,354	2,038	3,905	2,424	2,160	2,446	1,809	11
12	3,660	1,625	1,262	2,128	1,961	3,883	2,128	1,903	2,147	1,654	12
13	5,701	1,709	1,323	2,504	2,317	4,975	2,500	2,251	2,514	1,794	13
14	4,254	2,132	1,488	2,666	2,352	4,376	2,709	2,418	2,717	1,858	14
15	3,347	1,668	1,281	2,110	1,885	3,467	2,120	1,873	2,122	1,408	15
16	3,518	1,454	1,198	1,946	1,729	3,647	1,940	1,782	1,963	1,333	16
17	3,444	1,913	1,517	2,214	1,956	3,530	2,250	2,009	2,278	1,609	17
18	3,085	2,070	1,633	2,320	2,050	3,101	2,306	2,065	2,307	1,686	18
19	4,356	1,822	1,397	2,328	2,028	4,636	2,512	2,232	2,554	1,755	19
20	3,932	1,995	1,628	2,516	2,261	4,153	2,661	2,474	2,677	1,958	20
21	3,087	1,968	1,577	2,255	2,028	3,287	2,324	2,048	2,361	1,664	21
22	2,815	1,198	930	1,501	1,340	2,906	1,451	1,294	1,463	962	22
23	3,269	2,160	1,516	2,415	2,059	3,310	2,360	2,076	2,362	1,623	23
24	3,696	2,489	1,668	2,924	2,590	3,873	2,972	2,537	2,987	1,889	24
25	1,784	1,139	796	1,317	1,132	1,795	1,273	1,100	1,277	851	25
Total	86,007	44,605	34,213	54,422	47,988	87,979	53,853	47,890	54,113	38,141	Total

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President, Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

1879.						1880.					
WARD.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1879.	Registered for State Election, 1879.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 4, 1879.	Registered for City Election, 1879.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 9, 1879.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1880.	Registered for National Election, 1880.	Vote for President, Nov. 2, 1880.	Registered for City Election, 1880.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 14, 1880.	WARD.
1	3,728	2,162	1,798	2,209	1,413	3,846	2,388	2,145	2,387	1,627	1
2	3,687	2,014	1,727	2,035	1,352	3,941	2,296	2,013	2,310	1,505	2
3	2,916	1,967	1,662	1,978	1,371	2,992	2,120	1,967	2,124	1,487	3
4	2,894	1,783	1,487	1,798	1,095	3,066	2,003	1,835	2,008	1,346	4
5	2,928	1,858	1,558	1,878	1,334	3,132	2,042	1,864	2,044	1,419	5
6	4,053	1,935	1,692	1,955	1,445	4,228	2,113	1,898	2,119	1,625	6
7	3,595	1,871	1,640	1,889	1,427	3,981	2,005	1,831	2,013	1,518	7
8	3,457	1,773	1,550	1,780	1,301	3,902	1,965	1,719	1,980	1,487	8
9	3,072	1,821	1,508	1,824	1,292	3,198	1,868	1,649	1,883	1,348	9
10	3,337	1,644	1,448	1,687	1,225	3,765	1,937	1,786	1,946	1,381	10
11	4,053	2,365	2,022	2,407	1,730	4,291	2,733	2,479	2,748	1,905	11
12	3,838	1,913	1,650	1,944	1,389	3,817	2,030	1,844	2,040	1,503	12
13	5,057	2,213	2,014	2,251	1,594	5,435	2,855	2,701	2,857	1,944	13
14	4,588	2,504	2,121	2,507	1,710	4,900	3,008	2,787	3,006	2,038	14
15	3,636	1,929	1,617	1,950	1,246	3,669	2,350	2,176	2,363	1,637	15
16	4,154	1,834	1,630	1,847	1,359	4,458	2,378	2,200	2,380	1,796	16
17	3,552	2,110	1,803	2,125	1,544	3,812	2,468	2,294	2,483	1,792	17
18	3,324	2,221	1,889	2,267	1,549	3,460	2,487	2,326	2,489	1,841	18
19	4,696	2,337	1,953	2,367	1,492	5,039	2,903	2,776	3,010	2,055	19
20	4,315	2,571	2,199	2,594	1,759	4,568	3,084	2,840	3,083	2,320	20
21	3,516	2,294	1,941	2,314	1,562	3,555	2,568	2,396	2,578	1,859	21
22	3,049	1,443	1,194	1,455	1,034	3,167	1,676	1,520	1,698	1,198	22
23	3,417	2,298	1,895	2,333	1,554	3,534	2,523	2,307	2,530	1,739	23
24	4,067	2,844	2,393	2,861	1,904	4,230	3,203	2,904	3,211	2,279	24
25	1,796	1,265	1,046	1,274	874	1,885	1,274	1,078	1,349	1,005	25
Total	90,725	50,969	43,437	51,529	35,555	95,871	58,367	53,335	58,639	41,654	Total

The vote of Boston for Governor in 1880 was 53,396.

In 1879 there were registered also, under Stat. 1879, Chap. 223, 989 women, of whom 934 voted for School Committee. For women registered and voting from 1880–93, see pp. 324, 325.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

	1881.					1882.					
WARD.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1881.	Registered for State Election, 1881.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 8, 1881.	Registered for City Election, 1881.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 13, 1881.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1882.	Registered for State Election, 1882.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 7, 1882.	Registered for City Election, 1882.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 12, 1882.	WARD.
1	4,042	2,045	1,087	2,144	1,460	4,259	2,335	1,899	2,365	1,639	1
2	4,091	1,902	1,169	2,104	1,457	4,136	2,255	1,952	2,297	1,690	2
3	3,133	1,849	1,215	1,956	1,445	3,208	2,183	1,881	2,181	1,558	3
4	3,161	1,759	989	1,875	1,303	3,238	1,903	1,588	1,913	1,250	4
5	3,320	1,886	1,256	1,997	1,506	3,385	2,078	1,768	2,101	1,521	5
6	4,437	1,662	1,111	2,004	1,575	4,646	2,046	1,802	2,100	1,589	6
7	3,849	1,358	954	1,730	1,362	3,682	1,834	1,619	1,854	1,496	7
8	3,776	1,516	974	1,759	1,349	4,162	1,972	1,721	1,993	1,461	8
9	3,271	1,562	924	1,692	1,236	3,310	1,681	1,463	1,707	1,247	9
10	3,862	1,493	839	1,599	1,225	3,825	1,617	1,368	1,651	1,217	10
11	4,412	2,396	1,310	2,535	1,978	4,672	2,685	2,283	2,717	1,991	11
12	3,850	1,513	941	1,750	1,279	3,959	1,886	1,666	1,901	1,437	12
13	5,779	2,136	1,414	2,500	1,899	5,752	2,520	2,284	2,549	1,927	13
14	4,983	2,525	1,653	2,729	2,013	5,406	2,740	2,391	2,763	2,078	14
15	3,935	1,966	1,291	2,153	1,576	4,130	2,209	1,960	2,249	1,588	15
16	4,764	1,933	1,223	2,094	1,548	4,779	2,093	1,854	2,109	1,596	16
17	3,889	2,030	1,266	2,198	1,705	3,967	2,220	1,915	2,251	1,700	17
18	3,601	2,146	1,164	2,274	1,772	3,670	2,304	1,926	2,339	1,738	18
19	5,346	2,403	1,375	2,717	1,988	5,492	2,625	2,241	2,664	1,897	19
20	4,884	2,589	1,590	2,933	2,300	4,935	2,946	2,565	2,971	2,258	20
21	3,750	2,389	1,400	2,505	1,911	3,929	2,530	2,159	2,572	1,953	21
22	3,521	1,389	794	1,582	1,204	3,711	1,747	1,514	1,774	1,271	22
23	3,555	2,271	1,189	2,378	1,749	3,740	2,482	2,052	2,507	1,806	23
24	4,509	2,944	1,406	3 051	2,276	4,696	3,151	2,667	3,194	2,311	24
25	1,991	1,169	685	1,307	1,054	2,036	1,439	1,196	1,476	1,069	25
Total	99,711	48,831	29,219	53,566	40,170	102,725	55,481	47,734	56,198	41,288	Total

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President, Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

	1883.					1884.					
Ward.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1883.	Registered for State Election, 1883.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 6, 1883.	Registered for City Election, 1883.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 11, 1883.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1884.	Registered for National Election, 1884.	Vote for President, Nov. 4, 1884.	Registered for City Election, 1884.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 9, 1884.	Ward.
1	4,332	2,647	2,390	2,665	2,155	4,523	2,790	2,490	2,776	2,096	1
2	4,197	2,553	2,305	2,605	2,098	4,278	2,559	2,287	2,575	2,016	2
3	3,374	2,382	2,227	2,433	1,973	3,444	2,499	2,255	2,524	1,973	3
4	3,461	2,269	2,087	2,285	1,782	3,618	2,374	2,141	2,338	1,740	4
5	3,570	2,363	2,133	2,379	1,933	3,590	2,462	2,186	2,445	1,951	5
6	4,691	2,202	2,009	2,215	1,854	4,553	2,186	1,996	2,198	1,821	6
7	3,874	2,016	1,855	2,043	1,734	3,691	1,904	1,712	1,902	1,506	7
8	4,369	2,282	2,035	2,300	1,834	4,587	2,358	2,085	2,381	1,883	8
9	3,448	2,042	1,814	2,049	1,650	3,626	2,058	1,830	2,032	1,588	9
10	4,001	1,903	1,737	1,929	1,591	4,069	1,919	1,689	1,916	1,460	10
11	5,115	3,240	2,942	3,258	2,709	5,471	3,352	2,911	3,333	2,580	11
12	4,325	2,301	2,066	2,333	1,929	4,239	2,218	1,945	2,222	1,777	12
13	6,585	3,120	2,863	3,159	2,758	6,511	3,078	2,735	3,086	2,545	13
14	5,539	3,174	2,919	3,207	2,688	5,936	3,351	3,031	3,347	2,757	14
15	4,279	2,525	2,282	2,556	2,110	4,382	2,548	2,253	2,564	2,085	15
16	5,035	2,501	2,281	2,510	2,106	5,138	2,483	2,214	2,495	1,984	16
17	4,098	2,568	2,336	2,602	2,123	4,253	2,660	2,359	2,682	2,079	17
18	3,831	2,614	2,354	2,642	2,206	3,901	2,634	2,335	2,598	2,038	18
19	5,795	3,103	2,837	3,146	2,475	5,940	3,032	2,676	3,050	2,337	19
20	5,340	3,344	3,077	3,400	2,867	5,512	3,403	2,060	3,410	2,713	20
21	4,229	3,010	2,757	3,025	2,541	4,371	3,134	2,777	3,129	2,448	21
22	3,839	2,105	1,918	2,122	1,717	4,176	2,129	1,899	2,148	1,729	22
23	4,016	2,797	2,556	2,792	2,316	4,237	3,006	2,677	3,019	2,358	23
24	5,036	3,552	3,232	3,578	2,994	5,225	3,721	3,321	3,694	2,916	24
25	2,196	1,608	1,431	1,623	1,301	2,362	1,716	1,504	1,721	1,282	25
Total	108,575	64,221	58,443	64,856	53,444	111,633	65,574	58,368	65,585	51,662	Total

Total Boston vote for Governor in 1884, 58,748.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

1885.						1886.					
WARD.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1885.	Registered for State Election, 1885.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 3, 1885.	Registered for City Election, 1885.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 15, 1885.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1886.	Registered for State Election, 1886.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 2, 1886.	Registered for City Election, 1886.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 14, 1886.	WARD.
1	4,542	2,490	1,684	2,602	2,052	4,480	2,433	1,823	2,669	2,189	1
2	4,313	2,203	1,597	2,323	1,883	4,269	2,049	1,665	2,325	1,985	2
3	3,511	2,282	1,731	2,327	1,705	3,466	2,212	1,858	2,251	1,729	3
4	3,713	2,129	1,531	2,167	1,481	3,628	2,043	1,677	2,084	1,534	4
5	3,595	2,201	1,660	2,249	1,644	3,671	2,186	1,827	2,241	1,771	5
6	4,369	1,836	1,377	1,885	1,489	4,129	1,648	1,348	1,702	1,377	6
7	3,605	1,519	1,202	1,563	1,209	3,548	1,433	1,210	1,478	1,216	7
8	4,414	2,009	1,497	2,057	1,504	4,298	1,877	1,561	1,924	1,546	8
9	3,542	1,678	1,247	1,713	1,292	3,596	1,685	1,393	1,724	1,344	9
10	3,889	1,569	1,191	1,607	1,205	3,697	1,404	1,142	1,433	1,112	10
11	5,456	2,821	1,861	2,854	2,036	5,488	2,750	2,238	2,782	2,099	11
12	3,944	1,678	1,279	1,749	1,334	3,809	1,643	1,376	1,720	1,365	12
13	6,808	2,513	1,881	2,711	2,185	6,640	2,577	2,020	2,757	2,203	13
14	6,033	3,004	2,305	3,070	2,344	5,962	2,860	2,323	2,934	2,269	14
15	4,394	2,173	1,572	2,269	1,765	4,412	2,148	1,757	2,217	1,822	15
16	5,080	1,979	1,405	2,084	1,518	5,090	1,843	1,486	1,885	1,486	16
17	4,186	2,239	1,665	2,272	1,683	4,329	2,086	1,715	2,181	1,725	17
18	3,904	2,310	1,713	2,333	1,735	3,812	2,154	1,816	2,170	1,727	18
19	5,915	2,478	1,792	2,604	1,957	6,119	2,487	1,986	2,625	2,070	19
20	5,657	3,192	2,414	3,285	2,497	5,830	3,124	2,604	3,199	2,510	20
21	4,497	2,898	2,029	2,956	2,212	4,713	2,942	2,417	2,948	2,307	21
22	4,472	1,865	1,326	1,987	1,542	4,458	1,928	1,571	2,003	1,537	22
23	4,473	2,761	1,949	2,891	2,291	4,828	2,914	2,356	3,042	2,438	23
24	5,492	3,519	2,537	3,584	2,716	5,830	3,578	2,892	3,603	2,849	24
25	2,438	1,635	1,238	1,695	1,403	2,565	1,724	1,406	1,756	1,457	25
Total	112,242	56,981	41,683	58,837	44,682	112,667	55,728	45,467	57,653	45,667	Total

In 1886 there were in addition 40 scattering votes for Mayor.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President, Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

	1887.					1888.					
Ward.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1887.	Registered for State Election, 1887.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 8, 1887.	Registered for City Election, 1887.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 13, 1887.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1888.	Registered for National Election, 1888.	Vote for President, Nov. 6, 1888.	Registered for City Election, 1888.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 11, 1888.	Ward.
1	4,678	2,770	2,239	2,843	2,394	4,989	3,200	2,845	3,289	2,844	1
2	4,365	2,469	2,121	2,529	2,109	4,602	2,637	2,365	2,716	2,376	2
3	3,649	2,279	1,920	2,316	1,874	3,703	2,530	2,288	2,585	2,180	3
4	3,752	2,123	1,765	2,154	1,694	3,836	2,493	2,233	2,527	2,106	4
5	3,686	2,186	1,827	2,207	1,787	3,785	2,444	2,215	2,525	2,174	5
6	4,058	1,723	1,464	1,761	1,445	4,358	2,016	1,784	2,051	1,839	6
7	3,405	1,572	1,334	1,640	1,328	3,769	1,773	1,535	1,814	1,574	7
8	4,385	2,180	1,882	2,230	1,785	4,501	2,403	2,154	2,449	2,046	8
9	3,614	1,737	1,401	1,772	1,441	3,724	1,997	1,797	2,032	1,687	9
10	3,496	1,337	1,082	1,378	1,126	3,461	1,652	1,462	1,689	1,390	10
11	5,998	3,011	2,378	3,060	2,534	6,383	3,949	3,563	4,028	3,336	11
12	3,817	1,880	1,627	1,909	1,609	4,050	2,145	1,905	2,212	1,898	12
13	6,376	2,744	2,165	2,825	2,465	6,735	3,285	2,914	3,342	2,959	13
14	6,495	3,115	2,564	3,232	2,700	6,889	3,941	3,574	4,026	3,534	14
15	4,443	2,242	1,827	2,319	1,935	4,728	2,809	2,586	2,851	2,545	15
16	5,237	1,988	1,709	2,074	1,668	5,696	2,492	2,169	2,553	2,200	16
17	4,541	2,296	1,943	2,399	2,020	4,721	2,875	2,642	2,938	2,534	17
18	3,941	2,233	1,833	2,287	1,898	4,219	2,737	2,514	2,766	2,347	18
19	6,412	2,678	2,098	2,742	2,281	6,920	3,388	3,078	3,483	3,015	19
20	6,169	3,295	2,708	3,432	2,937	6,559	4,090	3,761	4,190	3,695	20
21	4,920	3,084	2,553	3,195	2,754	5,319	3,812	3,456	3,878	3,357	21
22	4,398	2,195	1,749	2,262	1,933	4,691	2,688	2,410	2,749	2,354	22
23	5,177	3,224	2,577	3,410	2,970	5,777	4,038	3,756	4,156	3,636	23
24	6,250	3,878	3,040	3,969	3,342	6,856	4,609	4,245	4,682	4,057	24
25	2,734	1,974	1,617	2,055	1,791	2,942	2,112	1,918	2,135	1,865	25
Total	115,996	60,213	49,423	62,000	51,820	123,213	72,115	65,169	73,666	63,548	Total

Total Boston vote for Governor in 1888, 64,923.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

	1889.					1890.					
WARD.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1889.	Registered for State Election, 1889.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 5, 1889.	Registered for City Election, 1889.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 10, 1889.	Assessed Polls, May 1, 1890.	Registered for State Election, 1890.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 4, 1890.	Registered for City Election, 1890.	Vote for Mayor, Dec, 9, 1890.	WARD.
1	5,134	3,086	2,330	3,208	2,560	5,311	2,952	2,278	3,144	2,605	1
2	4,517	2,505	1,912	2,590	2,059	4,694	2,380	1,950	2,578	2,145	2
3	3,710	2,414	1,825	2,493	1,973	3,659	2,458	2,028	2,500	1,952	3
4	3,841	2,322	1,748	2,368	1,820	3,797	2,161	1,799	2,256	1,786	4
5	3,893	2,390	1,892	2,464	1,955	3,817	2,384	1,983	2,411	1,912	5
6	4,444	1,800	1,379	1,997	1,664	4,910	1,844	1,508	1,921	1,555	6
7	3,581	1,493	1,106	1,601	1,320	3,572	1,372	1,104	1,417	1,105	7
8	4,411	2,137	1,721	2,218	1,859	4,416	1,919	1,612	1,994	1,538	8
9	3,640	1,818	1,333	1,900	1,473	3,763	1,786	1,451	1,815	1,275	9
10	3,196	1,365	1,061	1,444	1,131	3,120	1,283	1,062	1,325	969	10
11	6,599	3,784	2,827	3,856	2,859	6,663	3,811	3,192	3,931	2,712	11
12	3,826	1,855	1,499	1,949	1,606	3,594	1,619	1,230	1,644	1,358	12
13	6,243	2,955	2,266	3,091	2,683	6,111	2,551	2,101	2,685	2,194	13
14	7,155	3,867	3,077	4,013	3,368	7,404	3,770	3,179	3,993	3,407	14
15	4,738	2,668	2,117	2,736	2,251	4,783	2,545	2,021	2,652	2,191	15
16	5,528	2,189	1,738	2,218	1,755	5,508	1,980	1,613	2 064	1,630	16
17	4,756	2,519	2,007	2,636	2,082	4,737	2,364	2,027	2,473	1,973	17
18	4,097	2,472	1,906	2,518	2,000	4,044	2,240	1,862	2,298	1,735	18
19	6,833	3,223	2,360	3,366	2,715	7,021	3,047	2,500	3,220	2,655	19
20	6,687	3,912	3,069	4,032	3,291	6,948	3,817	3,272	3,920	3,129	20
21	5,629	3,769	2,931	3,822	3,062	6,039	3,696	3,115	3,814	3,072	21
22	5,020	2,643	1,999	2,704	2,183	5,386	2,726	2,249	2,813	2,322	22
23	6,151	4,079	3,108	4,172	3,411	6,553	3,949	3,154	4,088	3,146	23
24	7,314	4,607	3,584	4,794	3,942	7,655	4,680	3,947	4,842	3,951	24
25	3,205	2,112	1,683	2,154	1,784	3,598	2,200	1,847	2,302	1,893	25
Total	124,148	67,984	52,478	70,344	56,877[1]	127,103	65,534	54,088[2]	68,100	54,254[3]	Total

[1] Includes 71 scattering votes. [2] Includes 4 scattering votes. [3] Includes 44 scattering votes.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President, Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1891. Assessed Polls, May 1, 1891.	1891. Registered for State Election, 1891.	1891. Vote for Governor, Nov. 3, 1891.	1891. Registered for City Election, 1891.	1891. Vote for Mayor, Dec. 15, 1891.	1892. Assessed Polls at State Election.[1]	1892. Registered for National Election, 1892.	1892. Vote for President, Nov. 8, 1892.	1892. Registered for City Election, 1892.[2]	1892. Vote for Mayor, Dec. 13, 1892.	Ward.
1	5,566	3,403	2,938	3,463	2,673	5,972	3,928	3,363	3,962	3,214	1
2	5,041	2,724	2,164	2,796	2,018	5,340	3,074	2,571	3,082	2,489	2
3	3,744	2,598	2,211	2,627	2,006	3,954	2,962	2,482	2,943	2,190	3
4	3,891	2,383	1,988	2,432	1,879	4,142	2,811	2,368	2,808	2,077	4
5	4,125	2,577	2,160	2,608	1,924	4,263	2,794	2,385	2,778	2,106	5
6	4,182	1,875	1,559	1,915	1,487	4,497	2,265	1,887	2,255	1,765	6
7	3,791	1,481	1,223	1,502	1,059	4,003	1,774	1,474	1,760	1,276	7
8	4,541	1,985	1,669	2,011	1,490	4,870	2,379	2,028	2,371	1,784	8
9	3,908	1,848	1,527	1,863	1,236	4,170	2,515	2,159	2,494	1,700	9
10	3,387	1,348	1,160	1,389	945	3,490	1,909	1,717	1,926	1,373	10
11	7,231	4,172	3,490	4,219	2,608	8,147	5,434	4,801	5,394	3,727	11
12	3,900	1,639	1,379	1,657	1,292	3,866	2,075	1,698	2,089	1,601	12
13	7,054	2,869	2,446	2,912	2,383	7,180	3,321	2,712	3,302	2,598	13
14	7,634	4,229	3,629	4,300	3,229	7,883	4,910	4,256	4,901	3,820	14
15	4,973	2,728	2,317	2,755	2,035	5,300	3,372	2,848	3,364	2,587	15
16	5,574	2,087	1,722	2,118	1,538	5,949	2,698	2,199	2,694	2,011	16
17	4,893	2,606	2,294	2,731	2,157	5,229	3,305	2,861	3,299	2,491	17
18	4,185	2,428	2,133	2,498	1,927	4,654	3,182	2,827	3,165	2,328	18
19	7,195	3,205	2,596	3,288	2,495	7,481	3,861	3,042	3,881	2,930	19
20	7,326	4,376	3,795	4,489	3,579	7,862	5,240	4,580	5,243	4,281	20
21	6,571	4,260	3,669	4,312	3,220	7,274	5,217	4,634	5,212	4,093	21
22	5,756	3,035	2,496	3,090	2,375	6,191	3,566	3,083	3,580	2,790	22
23	7,085	4,320	3,715	4,463	3,343	7,822	5,353	4,716	5,355	4,215	23
24	8,601	5,356	4,597	5,440	4,153	9,350	6,497	5,797	6,500	4,870	24
25	3,891	2,448	2,109	2,495	1,967	4,252	2,785	2,413	2,796	2,351	25
Total	134,045	71,980	60,986	73,373	55,018	143,141	87,227	74,833	87,154	66,667	Total

[1] In 1892 the poll-tax as a prerequisite for voting was abolished. [2] Assessed polls, 143,370. Total Boston vote for Governor in 1892, 73,616. For gubernatorial vote by wards, see page 305.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1893. Assessed Polls.	1893. Registered for State Election, 1893.	1893. Vote for Governor, Nov. 7, 1893.	1893. Registered for City Election, 1893.	1893. Vote for Mayor, Dec. 12, 1893.	1894. Assessed Polls.	1894. Registered for State Election, 1894.	1894. Vote for Governor, Nov. 13, 1894.	1894. Registered for City Election, 1894.	1894. Vote for Mayor, Dec. 11, 1894.	Ward.
1	6,213	4,043	3,293	4,123	3,216	6,463	4,290	3,320	4,329	3,455	1
2	5,212	3,034	2,359	3,083	2,338	5,200	3,135	2,326	3,163	2,380	2
3	4,099	3,014	2,505	3,030	2,299	4,084	3,026	2,291	3,036	2,329	3
4	4,126	2,799	2,250	2,814	2,125	4,081	2,787	2,092	2,795	2,123	4
5	4,280	2,705	2,213	2,746	2,075	4,201	2,710	2,055	2,720	2,093	5
6	4,588	2,153	1,656	2,192	1,727	4,179	2,016	1,610	2,070	1,692	6
7	3,678	1,618	1,277	1,653	1,235	3,650	1,515	1,075	1,542	1,169	7
8	4,785	2,260	1,861	2,310	1,819	4,504	2,127	1,653	2,147	1,749	8
9	4,040	2,385	1,862	2,439	1,680	3,819	2,230	1,577	2,260	1,654	9
10	3,154	1,717	1,407	1,761	1,290	2,993	1,512	1,145	1,526	1,169	10
11	7,964	5,121	4,092	5,187	3,749	7,761	4,712	3,394	4,807	3,462	11
12	3,600	1,947	1,578	2,015	1,540	3,471	1,773	1,372	1,792	1,356	12
13	6,953	3,296	2,635	3,332	2,580	6,672	3,166	2,357	3,193	2,491	13
14	7,961	4,995	3,986	5,083	3,962	7,863	5,184	4,098	5,216	4,104	14
15	5,343	3,415	2,784	3,454	2,707	5,295	3,475	2,787	3,533	2,746	15
16	5,944	2,478	1,962	2,558	1,959	5,305	2,373	1,737	2,410	1,856	16
17	5,220	3,270	2,682	3,358	2,547	4,942	2,981	2,283	2,997	2,272	17
18	4,613	2,990	2,452	3,039	2,264	4,806	3,026	2,331	3,060	2,322	18
19	7,531	3,826	2,914	3,934	2,940	7,415	3,854	2,881	3,905	2,947	19
20	8,320	5,497	4,571	5,586	4,436	8,259	5,548	4,348	5,600	4,431	20
21	7,677	5,478	4,536	5,534	4,278	7,746	5,517	4,015	5,588	4,488	21
22	6,448	3,781	3,053	3,858	3,056	6,570	3,937	2,998	3,972	3,102	22
23	8,185	5,612	4,577	5,762	4,555	8,455	5,847	4,334	5,926	4,789	23
24	10,141	6,999	5,741	7,145	5,483	10,790	7,530	5,770	7,602	5,991	24
25	4,363	2,919	2,469	2,951	2,368	4,499	3,008	2,365	3,025	2,418	25
Total	144,438	87,352	70,715	88,947	68,228	143,023	87,279	66,214	88,214	68,588	Total

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for President, Governor and Mayor.[1]

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

	1895.					1896.				
WARD.	Assessed Polls at State Election.	Registered for State Election, 1895.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 5, 1895.	Registered for City Election, 1895.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 10, 1895.	Assessed Polls.	Registered for National Election, 1896.	Vote for President, Nov. 3, 1896.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 3, 1896.	WARD.
1	6,672	4,311	3,219	4,556	3,850	6,172	4,156	3,620	3,495	1
2	5,331	3,141	2,267	3,262	2,795	6,410	3,733	3,081	2,949	2
3	4,120	2,992	2,215	3,053	2,569	4,134	2,923	2,362	2,354	3
4	4,032	2,656	2,075	2,755	2,276	4,215	2,788	2,354	2,227	4
5	4,281	2,764	2,086	2,881	2,378	4,429	2,834	2,224	2,270	5
6	4,161	1,880	1,440	2,152	1,818	8,081	3,827	3,190	2,893	6
7	3,701	1,420	1,064	1,536	1,264	6,111	3,304	2,585	2,618	7
8	4,461	2,087	1,701	2,203	1,909	8,070	4,198	3,576	3,407	8
9	3,889	2,187	1,583	2,259	1,791	8,309	4,036	3,542	3,234	9
10	2,743	1,327	1,083	1,434	1,178	7,287	4,526	4,023	3,899	10
11	7,841	4,618	3,285	4,864	3,825	6,000	4,115	3,749	3,634	11
12	3,477	1,659	1,273	1,827	1,521	6,474	4,314	3,743	3,639	12
13	6,453	3,186	2,399	3,280	2,738	7,856	3,848	3,048	3,070	13
14	7,910	5,191	4,039	5,348	4,566	5,846	3,939	3,261	3,303	14
15	5,302	3,473	2,737	3,569	3,022	5,311	3,623	3,021	2,978	15
16	5,730	2,476	1,890	2,630	2,103	5,123	3,699	3,209	3,153	16
17	5,075	2,936	2,312	3,031	2,507	6,253	4,107	3,242	3,374	17
18	4,802	2,983	2,355	3,057	2,561	7,272	3,817	3,201	3,049	18
19	7,130	3,632	2,701	3,795	3,150	6,670	3,994	3,131	3,120	19
20	8,570	5,637	4,524	5,831	4,983	6,414	4,574	4,173	4,075	20
21	7,911	5,588	4,294	5,796	4,944	6,266	4,486	4,092	4,022	21
22	6,954	4,117	3,127	4,305	3,625	6,443	4,221	3,616	3,574	22
23	8,908	6,032	4,610	6,280	5,285	5,453	3,916	3,394	3,427	23
24	11,768	8,075	6,090	8,492	7,216	6,339	4,435	3,885	3,876	24
25	4,665	3,185	2,550	3,287	2,847	4,964	3,333	2,876	2,765	25
Total	145,887	87,553	66,619	91,483	76,721	155,902	96,746	82,198	80,405	Total

[1] The Mayor was elected in 1895 for two years. Stat. 1895, Chap. 419.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Votes for Governor and Mayor, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

WARD.	Assessed Polls, State Election, 1897.	Registered for State Election, 1897.	Vote for Governor, Nov. 2, 1897.	Assessed Polls, City Election, 1897.	Registered for City Election, 1897.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 21, 1897.	WARD.
1	6,328	4,043	2,472	6,413	4,335	3,473	1
2	6,364	3,710	2,336	6,549	4,215	3,403	2
3	4,223	2,944	1,907	4,262	3,071	2,492	3
4	4,122	2,745	1,903	4,188	2,878	2,286	4
5	4,422	2,761	1,760	4,521	2,942	2,322	5
6	8,228	3,760	2,358	8,760	4,403	3,241	6
7	5,945	2,974	1,963	6,116	3,118	2,263	7
8	7,876	3,889	2,682	8,069	4,205	3,289	8
9	7,991	3,775	2,479	8,293	4,255	3,136	9
10	7,617	4,116	2,196	7,765	4,486	3,142	10
11	5,981	3,940	2,660	6,045	4,142	3,143	11
12	6,313	3,751	2,355	6,409	4,002	2,966	12
13	7,628	3,654	2,490	8,050	4,472	3,382	13
14	6,009	4,111	2,691	6,127	4,397	3,547	14
15	5,233	3,528	2,272	5,323	3,790	2,942	15
16	5,401	3,757	2,583	5,461	3,945	3,174	16
17	6,892	4,077	2,693	7,025	4,440	3,577	17
18	7,229	3,704	2,267	7,352	4,036	3,042	18
19	6,954	4,163	2,637	7,113	4,526	3,654	19
20	7,005	4,830	2,848	7,074	5,061	3,930	20
21	6,335	4,462	2,734	6,387	4,689	3,640	21
22	6,793	4,259	2,664	6,853	4,455	3,415	22
23	5,640	3,956	2,746	5,692	4,106	3,351	23
24	6,734	4,632	2,787	6,805	4,858	3,919	24
25	5,191	3,393	2,305	5,287	3,646	3,034	25
Total	158,454	94,934	60,788	161,939	102,473	79,763	Total

Vote for President.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1888.			1892.					1896.[1]						Ward.
	Cleveland.	Harrison.	Fisk.	Cleveland.	Harrison.	Weaver.	Bidwell.	Wing.	Bryan.	Lovering.	Matchett.	McKinley.	Palmer.	Total.	
1	1,101	1,706	38	1,523	1,792	18	29	1	979	7	5	2,553	76	3,620	1
2	1,641	714	10	1,809	729	12	17	4	1,803	4	10	1,173	91	3,081	2
3	1,360	903	25	1,593	830	26	29	4	1,288	6	7	966	95	2,362	3
4	1,135	1,068	30	1,255	1,060	17	30	6	912	6	28	1,343	65	2,354	4
5	1,221	956	38	1,429	920	15	20	1	1,062	8	2	1,086	66	2,224	5
6	1,507	270	7	1,534	337	3	10	3	1,665	9	48	1,396	72	3,190	6
7	1,197	324	14	1,104	353	8	5	4	1,216	6	20	1,262	81	2,585	7
8	1,538	610	5	1,430	564	14	8	12	1,706	6	70	1,706	88	3,576	8
9	743	1,022	28	950	1,159	12	36	2	1,608	16	203	1,633	82	3,542	9
10	612	817	33	748	924	18	26	1	560	17	11	3,282	153	4,023	10
11	1,377	2,139	47	1,932	2,777	34	51	7	381	8	8	3,043	309	3,749	11
12	1,406	475	16	1,186	487	14	7	4	842	22	8	2,696	175	3,743	12
13	2,592	320	2	2,291	401	11	6	3	2,279	4	9	685	71	3,048	13
14	1,917	1,625	32	2,544	1,645	24	35	8	1,380	6	16	1,722	137	3,261	14
15	1,593	977	16	1,906	903	16	15	8	1,470	9	25	1,431	86	3,021	15
16	1,491	642	34	1,392	773	18	12	4	1,039	5	13	2,029	123	3,209	16
17	1,294	1,299	49	1,493	1,312	26	23	7	1,505	4	9	1,623	101	3,242	17
18	916	1,552	46	1,144	1,628	26	27	2	1,347	7	40	1,713	94	3,201	18
19	2,001	1,053	24	1,838	1,146	28	18	12	1,637	6	40	1,333	115	3,131	19
20	2,212	1,518	31	2,788	1,689	39	56	8	903	9	6	3,015	240	4,173	20
21	1,339	2,064	53	2,072	2,490	20	48	4	706	20	11	3,154	201	4,092	21
22	1,720	684	6	2,057	990	17	6	13	1,033	9	65	2,383	126	3,616	22
23	1,930	1,726	100	2,241	2,280	50	98	47	1,002	13	22	2,241	116	3,394	23
24	1,755	2,417	73	2,459	3,212	37	70	1	953	17	13	2,754	148	3,885	24
25	1,017	881	20	1,213	1,154	14	28	4	805	9	6	1,933	123	2,876	25
Total	36,615	27,762	777	41,931	31,555	517	710	170	30,081	233	695	48,155	3,034	82,198	Total

[1] As reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Vote for Governor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

WARD.	1885.			1886.			1887.			1888.				WARD.
	Prince.	Robinson.	Scattering.	Andrew.	Ames.	Scattering.	Lovering.	Ames.	Earle.	Russell.	Ames.	Earle.	Total.[1]	
1	626	1,035	23	703	1,098	22	803	1,403	24	1,187	1,564	64	2,816	1
2	1,157	436	4	1,240	419	6	1,558	555	5	1,650	699	13	2,362	2
3	1,056	655	20	1,127	718	13	1,177	698	45	1,424	802	44	2,274	3
4	745	768	18	813	843	21	909	806	50	1,171	979	49	2,199	4
5	971	665	24	1,099	708	20	1,083	683	58	1,268	886	47	2,201	5
6	1,219	155	3	1,144	200	4	1,291	156	12	1,505	264	10	1,779	6
7	987	214	1	1,029	175	6	1,143	178	13	1,196	348	14	1,558	7
8	1,183	298	16	1,184	366	11	1,453	415	10	1,543	598	7	2,149	8
9	467	759	21	634	732	27	420	931	47	741	1,001	49	1,791	9
10	460	705	26	523	607	12	351	681	43	620	804	39	1,463	10
11	499	1,349	13	962	1,261	15	460	1,808	95	1,292	2,252	51	3,596	11
12	1,000	260	19	1,090	274	12	1,271	329	16	1,416	477	19	1,912	12
13	1,691	183	7	1,784	231	5	1,904	226	1	2,602	317	3	2,923	13
14	1,276	1,019	10	1,277	1,030	16	1,404	1,085	54	1,933	1,539	65	3,538	14
15	968	603	1	1,080	666	11	1,153	650	20	1,610	920	25	2,555	15
16	1,009	379	17	1,107	359	20	1,248	412	42	1,497	656	36	2,190	16
17	725	917	23	869	822	24	892	990	47	1,285	1,292	64	2,641	17
18	455	1,229	29	613	1,173	30	454	1,306	66	895	1,548	51	2,494	18
19	1,263	504	25	1,436	536	14	1,453	576	44	1,992	998	31	3,021	19
20	1,401	985	28	1,646	934	24	1,524	1,123	47	2,218	1,470	47	3,739	20
21	563	1,439	27	927	1,472	18	690	1,781	69	1,298	2,082	66	3,458	21
22	940	384	2	1,180	384	7	1,238	494	15	1,720	667	16	2,403	22
23	837	1,091	21	1,164	1,098	94	1,072	1,317	171	1,904	1,733	109	3,746	23
24	871	1,637	29	1,236	1,618	38	924	1,967	86	1,672	2,435	87	4,207	24
25	633	601	4	766	628	12	790	804	23	1,020	867	21	1,908	25
Total	23,002	18,270	411	26,633	18,352	482	26,665	21,374	1,103	36,659	27,198	1,027	64,923	Total

[1] In the total are included 39 scattering votes.

Vote for Governor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1889.			1890.				1891.				1892.				Ward.
	Russell.	Brackett.	Blackmer.	Russell.	Brackett.	Blackmer.	Total.	Russell.	Allen.	All others.	Total.	Haile.	Russell.	All others.	Total.	
1	900	1,359	71	1,058	1,142	78	2,278	1,381	1,502	55	2,938	1,671	1,600	38	3,309	1
2	1,287	588	37	1,432	459	59	1,950	1,601	534	29	2,164	639	1,846	24	2,509	2
3	1,056	710	59	1,278	686	64	2,028	1,426	738	47	2,211	815	1,646	42	2,503	3
4	860	828	60	1,005	735	59	1,799	1,088	847	53	1,988	983	1,270	37	2,290	4
5	1,032	811	49	1,208	724	51	1,983	1,350	771	39	2,160	827	1,467	26	2,320	5
6	1,099	254	26	1,310	188	10	1,508	1,358	183	18	1,559	287	1,508	13	1,808	6
7	852	237	17	941	146	17	1,104	1,007	183	33	1,223	297	1,090	18	1,405	7
8	1,221	470	30	1,236	346	30	1,612	1,263	372	34	1,669	489	1,450	27	1,966	8
9	579	699	55	696	701	54	1,451	708	771	48	1,527	1,050	999	54	2,103	9
10	412	619	30	497	535	30	1,062	502	627	31	1,160	821	821	36	1,678	10
11	1,115	1,623	89	1,493	1,620	79	3,192	1,586	1,817	87	3,490	2,613	2,046	76	4,735	11
12	1,084	386	29	996	207	27	1,230	1,102	257	20	1,379	443	1,205	26	1,674	12
13	1,904	342	20	1,896	191	14	2,101	2,130	290	26	2,446	347	2,305	19	2,671	13
14	1,601	1,381	95	1,975	1,117	87	3,179	2,312	1,262	55	3,629	1,499	2,621	64	4,184	14
15	1,265	802	50	1,384	578	59	2,021	1,625	650	42	2,317	796	1,959	30	2,785	15
16	1,151	543	44	1,199	377	37	1,613	1,247	435	40	1,722	653	1,491	29	2,173	16
17	942	999	66	1,098	866	63	2,027	1,286	953	55	2,294	1,215	1,545	53	2,813	17
18	647	1,181	78	794	1,006	62	1,862	938	1,121	74	2,133	1,519	1,224	56	2,799	18
19	1,481	815	64	1,704	698	98	2,500	1,789	753	54	2,596	1,050	2,038	52	3,140	19
20	1,724	1,278	67	2,031	1,153	88	3,272	2,429	1,286	80	3,795	1,557	2,858	69	4,484	20
21	1,098	1,723	110	1,424	1,552	139	3,115	1,698	1,878	93	3,669	2,308	2,192	99	4,599	21
22	1,350	625	24	1,663	544	42	2,249	1,735	715	46	2,496	891	2,109	41	3,041	22
23	1,412	1,525	171	1,762	1,325	67	3,154	1,859	1,714	142	3,715	2,090	2,352	165	4,607	23
24	1,407	2,056	121	1,873	1,947	127	3,947	2,073	2,418	106	4,597	2,984	2,566	104	5,654	24
25	829	800	54	1,021	783	43	1,847	1,146	925	38	2,109	1,105	1,229	32	2,366	25
Total	28,308	22,654	1,516	32,974	19,626	1,484	54,084	36,639	23,002	1,345	60,986	28,949	43,437	1,230	73,616	Total

[1] This does not include 4 scattering votes.

Vote for Governor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1893.				1894.				1895.				Ward.
	Greenhalge.	Russell.	All others.	Total.	Greenhalge.	Russell.	All others.	Total.	Greenhalge.	Williams.	All others.	Total.	
1	1,798	1,420	75	3,293	1,991	1,241	88	3,320	1,902	1,245	72	3,219	1
2	624	1,691	44	2,359	673	1,576	77	2,326	678	1,548	41	2,267	2
3	838	1,589	78	2,505	752	1,441	98	2,291	748	1,395	72	2,215	3
4	966	1,232	52	2,250	961	1,047	84	2,092	905	1,105	65	2,075	4
5	837	1,327	49	2,213	737	1,245	73	2,055	768	1,259	59	2,086	5
6	269	1,341	46	1,656	292	1,277	41	1,610	290	1,123	27	1,440	6
7	283	953	41	1,277	263	753	59	1,075	278	743	43	1,064	7
8	451	1,322	88	1,861	391	1,166	95	1,653	434	1,182	85	1,701	8
9	999	791	72	1,862	902	597	78	1,577	981	540	62	1,583	9
10	731	629	47	1,407	717	359	69	1,145	719	309	55	1,083	10
11	2,475	1,459	158	4,092	2,281	982	131	3,394	2,303	878	104	3,285	11
12	344	1,182	52	1,578	339	912	121	1,372	323	890	60	1,273	12
13	323	2,235	77	2,635	323	1,897	137	2,357	342	1,972	85	2,399	13
14	1,456	2,346	184	3,986	1,680	2,261	157	4,098	1,633	2,260	146	4,039	14
15	778	1,930	76	2,784	940	1,743	104	2,787	879	1,768	90	2,737	15
16	599	1,268	95	1,962	650	958	129	1,737	611	1,161	118	1,890	16
17	1,187	1,413	82	2,682	1,186	997	100	2,283	1,254	963	95	2,312	17
18	1,413	949	90	2,452	1,453	768	110	2,331	1,465	807	83	2,355	18
19	1,027	1,802	85	2,914	1,091	1,594	196	2,881	1,049	1,529	123	2,701	19
20	1,725	2,708	138	4,571	1,865	2,322	161	4,348	1,910	2,491	123	4,524	20
21	2,516	1,867	153	4,536	2,407	1,464	144	4,015	2,636	1,521	137	4,294	21
22	957	2,013	83	3,053	1,027	1,820	151	2,998	1,122	1,897	108	3,127	22
23	2,281	2,034	262	4,577	2,331	1,712	291	4,334	2,565	1,832	213	4,610	23
24	3,237	2,336	168	5,741	3,532	1,966	272	5,770	3,839	2,058	193	6,090	24
25	1,213	1,205	51	2,469	1,247	1,045	73	2,365	1,425	1,065	60	2,550	25
Total	29,327	39,042	2,346	70,715	30,031	33,143	3,039	66,213	31,059	33,541	2,319	66,919	Total

Vote for Governor.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

1896.						1897.					
WARD.	Prince.	Wolcott.*	Williams.	All others.	Total.	Everett.	Williams.	Wolcott.*	All others.	Total.	WARD.
1	148	2,424	888	35	3,495	98	651	1,684	39	2,472	1
2	191	1,100	1,607	51	2,949	162	1,365	752	57	2,336	2
3	138	935	1,248	33	2,354	124	1,045	695	43	1,907	3
4	122	1,224	850	31	2,227	118	839	902	44	1,903	4
5	132	1,060	1,046	32	2,270	114	872	733	41	1,760	5
6	141	1,197	1,472	83	2,893	113	1,332	842	71	2,358	6
7	159	1,228	1,173	58	2,618	69	1,078	763	53	1,963	7
8	133	1,552	1,594	128	3,407	103	1,539	927	113	2,682	8
9	173	1,503	1,465	93	3,234	85	1,251	1,052	91	2,479	9
10	174	3,180	498	47	3,899	138	299	1,705	54	2,196	10
11	242	3,008	352	32	3,634	302	292	2,030	36	2,660	11
12	211	2,570	817	41	3,639	157	588	1,560	50	2,355	12
13	164	581	2,282	43	3,070	102	1,858	473	57	2,490	13
14	183	1,619	1,451	50	3,303	114	1,400	1,102	75	2,691	14
15	166	1,318	1,432	62	2,978	117	1,117	957	81	2,272	15
16	157	1,983	974	39	3,153	151	881	1,482	69	2,583	16
17	217	1,617	1,510	30	3,374	158	1,358	1,119	58	2,693	17
18	143	1,609	1,220	77	3,049	101	1,134	932	100	2,267	18
19	237	1,235	1,562	86	3,120	174	1,469	897	97	2,637	19
20	205	2,972	851	47	4,075	165	710	1,931	42	2,848	20
21	253	3,112	614	43	4,022	178	489	2,003	64	2,734	21
22	162	2,281	1,026	105	3,574	130	880	1,546	108	2,664	22
23	161	2,207	995	64	3,427	139	887	1,643	77	2,746	23
24	170	2,770	886	50	3,876	131	771	1,818	67	2,787	24
25	165	1,765	800	35	2,765	126	828	1,318	33	2,305	25
Total	4,347	46,050	28,613	1,395	80,405	3,369	24,933	30,866	1,620	60,788	Total

* Elected.

Vote for Mayor.

(From "A Catalogue of the City Councils of Boston, Roxbury and Charlestown," page xxxiii.)

1822. — April 8.[1]

Josiah Quincy	1,736
Harrison Gray Otis	1,384
Others	580
Total	3,700

1822. — April 16.

John Phillips	2,456
Scattering	194
Total	2,650

1823. — April 14.

Josiah Quincy	2,505
George Blake	2,180
Scattering	81
Total	4,766

1824. — April 12.

Josiah Quincy	3,867
Scattering	83
Total	3,950

1825. — April 11.

Josiah Quincy	1,836
Scattering	55
Total	1,891

1825. — December 12.

Josiah Quincy	1,202
Scattering	193
Total	1,395

1826. — December 11.

Josiah Quincy	3,163
George Blake	1,750
Scattering	127
Total	5,040

1827. — December 10.

Josiah Quincy	2,189
Amos Binney	340
Scattering	100
Total	2,629

1828. — December 8.[1]

Josiah Quincy	1,958
Thomas C. Amory	1,284
Scattering	840
Total	4,082

1828. — December 15.[1]

Josiah Quincy	2,561
Thomas C. Amory	1,400
Scattering	1,292
Total	5,253

1828. — December 22.

Harrison Gray Otis	2,978
Caleb Eddy	1,283
Scattering	285
Total	4,546

1829. — December 14.

Harrison Gray Otis	1,844
Scattering	122
Total	1,966

[1] No Choice.

1830. — December 13.

Harrison Gray Otis	2,828
Theodore Lyman, Jr.	672
Scattering	97
Total	3,597

1831. — December 12.[1]

Theodore Lyman, Jr.	1,851
Charles Wells	1,838
cattering	1,160
Total	4,849

1831. — December 22.

Charles Wells	3,316
Theodore Lyman, Jr.	2,389
Scattering	223
Total	5,928

1832. — December 10.

Charles Wells	2,918
Samuel A. Wells	469
Scattering	313
Total	3,700

1833. — December 9.

Theodore Lyman, Jr.	3,734
William Sullivan	2,009
Scattering	498
Total	6,241

1834. — December 8.

Theodore Lyman, Jr.	4,261
Scattering	143
Total	4,404

1835. — December 14.

Samuel T. Armstrong	3,039
John W. James	1,185
Scattering	269
Total	4,493

1836. — December 12.

Samuel A. Eliot	3,238
John W. James	1,667
Scattering	778
Total	5,683

1837. — December 11.

Samuel A. Eliot	3,475
Amasa Walker	1,127
Scattering	1,651
Total	6,253

1838. — December 10.

Samuel A. Eliot	3,766
Caleb Eddy	2,341
Scattering	180
Total	6,287

1839. — December 9.

Jonathan Chapman	4,352
Bradford Sumner	3,047
Scattering	70
Total	7,469

1840. — December 14.

Jonathan Chapman	5,224
Charles G. Greene	2,606
Scattering	23
Total	7,853

1841. — December 13.

Jonathan Chapman	4,698
Nathaniel Greene	3,545
Scattering	791
Total	9,034

1842. — December 12.

Martin Brimmer	5,084
Bradford Sumner	2,340
Scattering	795
Total	8,219

[1] No choice.

1843. — December 11.

Martin Brimmer	4,874
George Savage	2,237
Scattering	183
Total	7,294

1844. — December 9.[1]

Josiah Quincy, Jr.	4,457
Thomas A. Davis	4,017
A. W. Thaxter, Jr.	2,115
Scattering	233
Total	10,821

1844. — December 23.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	3,907
Thomas Wetmore	3,767
Charles G. Greene	2,282
Scattering	90
Total	10,046

1844. — December 30.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	4,031
Thomas Wetmore	3,456
Charles G. Greene	2,419
Scattering	124
Total	10,030

1845. — January 13.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	3,993
Samuel A. Eliot	3,712
Charles G. Greene	2,056
Scattering	63
Total	9,824

1845. — January 20.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	4,289
Peter T. Homer	1,855
William T. Eustis	1,503
William Parker	1,499
Scattering	99
Total	9,245

1845. — January 30.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	4,436
William Parker	3,851
Peter T. Homer	1,513
Scattering	37
Total	9,837

1845. — February 12.[1]

Thomas A. Davis	4,343
William Parker	3,341
Peter T. Homer	1,430
Scattering	16
Total	9,130

1845. — February 21.

Thomas A. Davis	4,865
William Parker	4,366
Scattering	322
Total	9,553

1845. — December 8.

Josiah Quincy, Jr.	5,333
William S. Damrell	1,647
John T. Heard	1,354
Scattering	97
Total	8,431

1846. — December 14.

Josiah Quincy, Jr.	3,846
Charles B. Goodrich	1,319
Ninian C. Betton	735
Scattering	52
Total	5,952

1847. — December 13.

Josiah Quincy, Jr.	4,756
Charles B. Goodrich	1,657
William Parker	1,547
Ninian C. Betton	866
Scattering	70
Total	8,896

[1] No choice.

1848. — December 11.

John P. Bigelow	5,150
John W. James	1,143
Bradford Sumner	929
J. V. C. Smith	417
Edward Brooks	132
Scattering	29
Total	7,800

1849. — December 10.

John P. Bigelow	4,543
Joseph Hall	705
Bradford Sumner	349
Scattering	34
Total	5,631

1850. — December 9.

John P. Bigelow	5,473
Charles Amory	1,169
Charles B. Goodrich	1,094
Benjamin B. Mussey	822
Scattering	68
Total	8,626

1851. — December 8.[1]

John H. Wilkins	4,423
J. V. C. Smith	2,672
Adam W. Thaxter, Jr.	2,150
George F. Williams	475
Scattering	81
Total	9,801

1851. — December 17.[1]

Benjamin Seaver	3,970
J. V. C. Smith	2,680
Adam W. Thaxter, Jr.	1,290
George F. Williams	244
Henry B. Rogers	158
Scattering	50
Total	8,392

1851. — December 24.

Benjamin Seaver	3,990
J. V. C. Smith	2,736
Adam W. Thaxter, Jr.	1,024
Henry B. Rogers	188
Scattering	38
Total	7,976

1852. — December 13.

Benjamin Seaver	6,018
J. V. C. Smith	5,021
Joseph Smith	899
Scattering	34
Total	11,972

1853. — December 12.[1]

Benjamin Seaver	5,651
J. V. C. Smith	4,690
Jacob Sleeper	2,097
Frederick H. Allen	596
Scattering	5
Total	13,039

1853. — December 27.[1]

J. V. C. Smith	6,077
John P. Bigelow	4,489
Jacob Sleeper	775
Aaron Hobart	748
Scattering	79
Total	12,168

1854. — January 9.

Jerome V. C. Smith	6,840
John H. Wilkins	3,171
James Whiting	1,730
Aaron Hobart	282
Scattering	65
Total	12,088

[1] No choice.

1854. — December 11.

Jerome V. C. Smith	6,429
George B. Upton	4,409
Isaac Adams	703
Scattering	42
Total	11,583

1855. — December 10.

Alexander H. Rice	7,401
Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	5,390
Scattering	59
Total	12,850

1856. — December 8.

Alexander H. Rice	8,714
Jonathan Preston	2,025
Scattering	30
Total	10,769

1857. — December 14.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	8,110
Charles B. Hall	4,193
Scattering	20
Total	12,323

1858. — December 13.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	6,298
Moses Kimball	4,449
Julius A. Palmer	1,007
J. V. C. Smith	183
Scattering	24
Total	11,961

1859. — December 12.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	5,932
Joseph M. Wightman	4,208
Julius A. Palmer	628
Joseph M. Whitman	619
Scattering[1]	34
Total	11,421

1860. — December 10.

Joseph M. Wightman	8,834
Moses Kimball	5,674
Scattering	111
Total	14,619

1861. — December 9.

Joseph M. Wightman	6,765
Edward S. Tobey	5,795
Scattering	5
Total	12,565

1862. — December 8.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	6,352
Joseph M. Wightman	5,287
Scattering	22
Total	11,661

1863. — December 14.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	6,206
Thomas P. Rich	2,142
Samuel R. Spinney	613
Scattering	10
Total	8,971

1864. — December 12.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	6,877
Thomas C. Amory, Jr.	2,732
Scattering	21
Total	9,630

1865. — December 11.

Frederic W. Lincoln, Jr.	4,520
Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	3,690
Frederick W. Lincoln	1,286
Scattering[1]	6
Total	9,502

[1] Mostly mis-spelled names of the leading candidates.

1866. — December 10.

Otis Norcross	5,662
Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	4,755
Scattering	33
Total	10,450

1867. — December 9.

Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	8,383
Otis Norcross	7,867
Scattering	18
Total	16,268

1868. — December 14.

Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	11,005
Moses Kimball	9,156
Isaac W. May	143
Scattering	22
Total	20,326

1869. — December 13.

Nathaniel B. Shurtleff	13,054
George P. Baldwin	4,790
George H. Johnston	338
Nathaniel E. Chase	206
Scattering	50
Total	18,438

1870. — December 12.

William Gaston	10,836
George O. Carpenter	7,836
Scattering	127
Total	18,799

1871. — December 4.

William Gaston	9,838
Newton Talbot	6,231
Scattering	9
Total	16,078

1872. — December 10.

Henry L. Pierce	8,877
William Gaston	8,798
Scattering	41
Total	17,716

1873. — December 9.

Samuel C. Cobb	19,187
Henry D. Cushing	572
Scattering	22
Total	19,781

1874. — December 15.

Samuel C. Cobb	17,874
Francis B. Hayes	855
Scattering	24
Total	18,733

1875. — December 14.

Samuel C. Cobb	14,932
Halsey J. Boardman	12,178
Scattering	14
Total	27,124

1876. — December 12.

Frederick O. Prince	16,562
Nathaniel J. Bradlee	13,782
George M. Buttrick	266
Scattering	53
Total	30,663

1877. — December 11.

Henry L. Pierce	25,090
Frederick O. Prince	22,892
Scattering	6
Total	47,988

1878. — December 10.

Frederick O. Prince . .	19,676
Charles R. Codman . . .	18,003
Davis J. King	440
Scattering	22
Total	38,141

1879. — December 9.

Frederick O. Prince . .	18,697
Solomon B. Stebbins . .	16,083
Davis J. King	399
John J. McDavitt . . .	355
Scattering	21
Total	35,555

1880. — December 14.

Frederick O. Prince . .	21,112
Solomon B. Stebbins . .	20,531
Scattering	11
Total	41,654

1881. — December 13.

Samuel A. Green . . .	20,429
Albert Palmer	19,724
Scattering	14
Total	40,167

1882. — December 12.

Albert Palmer	21,713
Samuel A. Green . . .	19,575
Total	41,288

1883. — December 11.

Augustus P. Martin . .	27,494
Hugh O'Brien	25,950
Total	53,444

Vote for Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1884.		1885.		1886.			1887.		Ward.
	O'Brien.	Martin.	O'Brien.	Clark.	O'Brien.	Hart.	McNeill.	O'Brien.	Hart.	
1	738	1,358	833	1,219	747	1,252	190	803	1,591	1
2	1,382	634	1,373	510	1,401	499	85	1,481	628	2
3	1,177	796	1,050	655	919	640	170	1,053	821	3
4	783	957	768	713	705	724	105	791	903	4
5	1,083	868	992	652	987	688	96	966	819	5
6	1,623	198	1,286	203	1,104	142	131	1,257	188	6
7	1,264	242	941	268	904	185	127	1,073	255	7
8	1,435	448	1,166	338	1,123	320	103	1,341	444	8
9	606	982	587	705	491	803	50	433	1,008	9
10	482	978	595	610	395	673	44	349	777	10
11	544	2,036	798	1,238	577	1,471	51	422	2,112	11
12	1,336	441	1,069	265	927	320	118	1,238	371	12
13	2,282	263	1,972	213	1,689	183	331	2,221	244	13
14	1,510	1,247	1,384	960	1,036	926	307	1,400	1,300	14
15	1,232	853	1,132	633	964	621	237	1,158	777	15
16	1,305	679	1,113	405	1,002	356	128	1,128	539	16
17	816	1,263	824	859	789	851	85	872	1,147	17
18	406	1,632	571	1,164	476	1,205	46	409	1,489	18
19	1,519	818	1,440	517	1,345	476	249	1,452	829	19
20	1,494	1,219	1,545	952	1,404	889	217	1,601	1,336	20
21	623	1,825	805	1,407	713	1,505	89	719	2,035	21
22	1,230	499	1,142	400	1,077	337	123	1,347	586	22
23	995	1,363	1,287	1,004	1,053	1,241	144	1,212	1,757	23
24	886	2,030	1,169	1,547	888	1,746	215	996	2,346	24
25	743	539	848	555	710	633	114	914	877	25
Total	27,494	24,168	26,690	17,992	23,426	18,686	3,555	26,636	25,179	Total

Vote for Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

WARD.	1888.		1889.		1890.				1891.				WARD.
	Hart.	O'Brien.	Hart.	Galvin.	Matthews.	Merrill.	Shapleigh.	Total.	Allen.	Matthews.	Shapleigh.	Total.	
1	1,853	991	1,701	859	1,175	1,374	56	2,605	1,315	1,329	29	2,673	1
2	783	1,593	795	1,264	1,519	598	28	2,145	439	1,554	25	2,018	2
3	1,085	1,095	966	1,007	1,216	670	66	1,952	614	1,367	25	2,006	3
4	1,333	803	1,081	739	911	832	43	1,786	770	1,083	26	1,879	4
5	1,207	967	1,043	912	1,143	713	56	1,912	658	1,239	27	1,924	5
6	325	1,514	320	1,344	1,274	270	11	1,555	163	1,317	7	1,487	6
7	398	1,176	344	976	902	185	18	1,105	140	911	8	1,059	7
8	603	1,443	677	1,182	1,176	339	23	1,538	275	1,202	13	1,490	8
9	1,166	521	1,046	427	628	575	72	1,275	595	606	35	1,236	9
10	1,013	377	840	291	441	466	62	969	533	394	18	945	10
11	2,721	615	2,373	486	1,343	1,128	241	2,712	1,299	1,261	48	2,608	11
12	518	1,380	469	1,137	1,071	266	21	1,358	195	1,080	17	1,292	12
13	298	2,661	433	2,250	1,937	250	7	2,194	205	2,169	9	2,383	13
14	1,762	1,772	1,826	1,542	2,034	1,247	66	2,407	1,061	2,135	33	3,229	14
15	1,051	1,494	1,080	1,171	1,454	695	42	2,191	552	1,468	15	2,035	15
16	806	1,394	756	999	1,138	464	28	1,630	382	1,136	20	1,538	16
17	1,505	1,029	1,315	767	1,086	801	86	1,973	827	1,262	68	2,157	17
18	1,802	545	1,615	385	728	881	126	1,735	1,054	840	33	1,927	18
19	1,262	1,753	1,314	1,401	1,698	913	44	2,655	700	1,777	18	2,495	19
20	1,735	1,960	1,741	1,550	1,882	1,128	199	3,129	1,084	2,437	58	3,579	20
21	2,496	861	2,305	757	1,284	1,550	238	3,072	1,674	1,489	57	3,220	21
22	808	1,546	990	1,193	1,619	643	60	2,322	629	1,731	15	2,375	22
23	2,383	1,253	2,270	1,141	1,782	1,159	205	3,146	1,467	1,810	66	3,343	23
24	2,888	1,169	2,791	1,151	1,682	2,046	223	3,951	2,163	1,914	76	4,153	24
25	941	924	1,042	742	1,027	764	102	1,893	738	1,197	32	1,967	25
Total	32,712	30,836	31,133	25,673	32,210	19,957	2,043	*54,201	19,532	34,708	778	†55,018	Total

* Not including 44 scattering votes.
† Not including 1 scattering vote.

Vote for Mayor.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

WARD.	1892.				1893.				1894.				WARD.
	Matthews.	Rogers.	All others.	Total.	Matthews.	Hart.	All others.	Total.	Curtis.	Peabody.	All others.	Total.	
1	1,565	1,649	0	3,214	1,279	1,907	30	3,216	2,127	1,286	42	3,455	1
2	1,840	649	0	2,489	1,490	833	15	2,338	874	1,477	29	2,380	2
3	1,489	701	0	2,190	1,395	891	13	2,299	891	1,399	39	2,329	3
4	1,179	898	0	2,077	1,104	994	27	2,125	1,050	1,043	30	2,123	4
5	1,337	768	1	2,106	1,219	840	16	2,075	832	1,231	30	2,093	5
6	1,512	252	1	1,765	1,360	362	5	1,727	382	1,289	21	1,692	6
7	990	286	0	1,276	840	390	5	1,235	373	778	18	1,169	7
8	1,445	339	0	1,784	1,249	558	12	1,819	559	1,154	36	1,749	8
9	890	810	0	1,700	838	823	19	1,680	926	702	26	1,654	9
10	697	675	1	1,373	606	669	15	1,290	743	399	27	1,169	10
11	1,705	2,020	2	3,727	1,758	1,929	62	3,749	2,118	1,296	48	3,462	11
12	1,227	374	0	1,601	1,027	502	11	1,540	460	867	29	1,356	12
13	2,233	362	3	2,598	1,867	709	4	2,580	683	1,748	60	2,491	13
14	2,440	1,379	1	3,820	2,084	1,841	37	3,962	1,897	2,139	68	4,104	14
15	1,770	817	0	2,587	1,606	1,091	10	2,707	1,140	1,567	39	2,746	15
16	1,434	577	0	2,011	1,214	733	12	1,959	833	980	43	1,856	16
17	1,452	1,039	0	2,491	1,291	1,221	35	2,547	1,285	929	58	2,272	17
18	1,049	1,279	0	2,328	991	1,249	24	2,264	1,497	792	33	2,322	18
19	1,863	1,066	1	2,930	1,671	1,242	27	2,940	1,546	1,344	57	2,947	19
20	2,717	1,564	0	4,281	2,539	1,862	35	4,436	2,179	2,162	90	4,431	20
21	1,915	2,178	0	4,093	1,827	2,387	64	4,278	2,940	1,471	77	4,488	21
22	1,903	887	0	2,790	1,934	1,111	11	3,056	1,440	1,613	49	3,102	22
23	2,041	2,174	0	4,215	1,957	2,549	49	4,555	2,872	1,802	115	4,789	23
24	2,121	2,749	0	4,870	2,077	3,339	67	5,483	3,921	1,990	80	5,991	24
25	1,172	1,179	0	2,351	1,131	1,223	14	2,368	1,414	967	37	2,418	25
Total	39,986	26,671	10	66,667	36,354	31,255	619	68,228	34,982	32,425	1,181	68,588	Tota

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Vote for Mayor, 1895.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Ward.	Assessed Polls.	Registration for City Election, 1895.	Vote for Mayor, Dec. 10, 1895.*				Ward.
			Quincy.*	Curtis.	All others.	Totals for all Candidates.	
1	6,720	4,556	1,636	2,202	12	3,850	1
2	5,363	3,262	1,996	793	6	2,795	2
3	4,137	3,053	1,720	836	13	2,569	3
4	4,057	2,755	1,172	1,081	23	2,276	4
5	4,343	2,881	1,504	861	13	2,378	5
6	4,374	2,152	1,410	402	6	1,818	6
7	3,772	1,536	920	335	9	1,264	7
8	4,522	2,203	1,464	421	24	1,909	8
9	3,927	2,259	670	1,106	15	1,791	9
10	2,778	1,434	359	807	12	1,178	10
11	7,924	4,864	1,102	2,683	40	3,825	11
12	3,573	1,827	1,083	425	13	1,521	12
13	6,490	3,280	2,285	440	13	2,738	13
14	7,950	5,348	2,736	1,797	33	4,566	14
15	5,334	3,569	2,011	988	23	3,022	15
16	5,805	2,630	1,353	726	24	2,103	16
17	5,128	3,031	1,199	1,280	28	2,507	17
18	4,852	3,057	937	1,600	24	2,561	18
19	7,168	3,795	1,835	1,277	38	3,150	19
20	8,630	5,831	2,806	2,147	30	4,983	20
21	7,059	5,796	1,812	3,110	22	4,944	21
22	6,999	4,305	2,218	1,388	19	3,625	22
23	8,966	6,280	2,243	2,980	62	5,285	23
24	11,866	8,492	2,615	4,528	73	7,216	24
25	4,688	3,287	1,184	1,651	12	2,847	25
Total	147,325	91,483	40,270	35,864	587	76,721	Total

* Elected for two years. Stat. 1895, Chap. 449.

Assessed Polls, Registration, and Vote for Mayor, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

WARD.	Assessed Polls for City Election, 1897.	Registered for City Election, 1897.	VOTE FOR MAYOR, DEC. 21, 1897.				WARD.
			Josiah Quincy.*	Edwin U. Curtis.	All Others.	Totals for all Candidates.	
1	6,413	4,335	1,278	2,090	105	3,473	1
2	6,549	4,215	2,350	830	223	3,403	2
3	4,262	3,071	1,501	827	164	2,492	3
4	4,188	2,878	1,128	1,059	99	2,286	4
5	4,521	2,942	1,391	807	124	2,322	5
6	8,760	4,403	2,147	905	189	3,241	6
7	6,116	3,118	1,258	835	170	2,263	7
8	8,069	4,205	1,989	1,075	225	3,289	8
9	8,293	4,255	1,867	1,059	210	3,136	9
10	7,765	4,486	899	2,161	82	3,142	10
11	6,045	4,142	1,132	1,940	71	3,143	11
12	6,409	4,002	1,161	1,687	118	2,966	12
13	8,050	4,472	2,446	626	310	3,382	13
14	6,127	4,397	2,110	1,260	177	3,547	14
15	5,323	3,790	1,636	1,115	191	2,942	15
16	5,461	3,945	1,460	1,563	151	3,174	16
17	7,025	4,440	1,960	1,371	246	3,577	17
18	7,352	4,036	1,673	1,187	182	3,042	18
19	7,113	4,526	2,292	1,176	186	3,654	19
20	7,074	5,061	1,572	2,252	106	3,930	20
21	6,387	4,689	1,149	2,409	82	3,640	21
22	6,853	4,455	1,499	1,771	145	3,415	22
23	5,692	4,106	1,390	1,863	98	3,351	23
24	6,805	4,858	1,415	2,389	115	3,919	24
25	5,287	3,646	1,281	1,690	63	3,034	25
Total	161,939	102,473	39,984	35,947	3,832	79,763	Total.

* Elected.

Assessed Polls, Registration and Votes for Aldermen, December 21, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Ward.	Assessed Polls.	Registered for City Election, 1897.	William Berwin.*	Salem D. Charles.*	Michael H. Cleary.*	Franklin L. Codman.*	John H. Colby.	Joseph A. Conry.*	Edward W. Dixon.*	Perlie A. Dyar.*	Leon Greenman.	Conrad Kersten.	William H. Lott.*
1.....	6,413	4,335	2,062	1,225	1,134	2,066	1,956	1,560	1,163	2,016	26	23	1,966
2.....	6,549	4,215	804	2,231	2,240	806	745	2,464	2,247	810	64	44	764
3.....	4,262	3,071	738	1,513	1,439	743	718	1,481	1,436	759	31	35	714
4.....	4,188	2,878	925	1,134	1,087	916	900	1,135	1,083	918	38	36	887
5.....	4,521	2,942	740	1,224	1,171	728	720	1,215	1,206	733	32	23	721
6.....	8,760	4,403	900	1,729	1,697	795	734	1,724	2,238	791	76	63	719
7.....	6,116	3,118	742	1,296	1,259	747	719	1,155	1,110	809	55	46	719
8.....	8,069	4,205	1,147	1,942	1,845	1,027	977	1,885	1,758	1,014	135	118	947
9.....	8,293	4,255	1,080	1,749	1,693	984	950	1,715	1,652	1,033	110	103	972
10.....	7,765	4,486	2,264	777	619	2,284	2,196	688	622	2,284	54	54	2,192
11.....	6,045	4,142	2,070	937	704	2,189	2,157	774	719	2,050	32	29	1,980
12.....	6,409	4,002	1,795	1,097	977	1,767	1,790	1,003	956	1,732	51	56	1,726
13.....	8,050	4,472	374	2,204	2,098	396	347	2,244	2,052	394	69	67	393
14.....	6,127	4,397	1,129	1,853	1,749	1,184	1,104	1,876	1,734	1,180	49	47	1,201
15.....	5,322	3,790	947	1,556	1,470	976	929	1,555	1,413	979	69	71	995
16.....	5,461	3,945	1,544	1,328	1,163	1,599	1,515	1,326	1,157	1,584	67	65	1,897
17.....	7,025	4,440	1,261	2,079	1,983	1,262	1,203	2,056	1,893	1,294	67	69	1,292
18.....	7,352	4,036	1,071	1,558	1,594	1,061	1,009	1,548	1,442	1,074	94	99	1,023
19.....	7,113	4,526	979	2,280	2,430	966	927	2,232	2,067	1,017	157	109	942
20.....	7,074	5,061	2,307	1,485	1,275	2,514	2,331	1,379	1,319	2,355	42	35	2,417
21.....	6,387	4,689	2,460	1,128	943	2,457	2,399	1,019	956	2,448	77	103	2,393
22.....	6,853	4,455	1,660	1,876	1,401	1,684	1,618	1,405	1,333	1,687	137	106	1,641
23.....	5,692	4,106	1,807	1,647	1,256	1,850	1,787	1,313	1,221	1,811	89	75	1,791
24.....	6,805	4,858	2,366	1,383	1,194	2,647	2,336	1,302	1,204	2,389	46	42	2,389
25.....	5,287	3,646	1,619	1,276	1,147	1,642	1,584	1,201	1,129	1,702	35	35	1,546
Total...	161,939	102,473	34,791	38,507	35,568	35,290	33,651	37,255	35,110	34,863	1,702	1,553	34,227

* Elected.

Vote for Aldermen, December 21, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

WARD.	Joseph J. Norton.*	James R. Nugent.	Frank J. O'Toole.*	Patrick J. O'Toole.	Milton C. Paige.*	Edward W. Presho.*	Henry Stammer-johann.	James F. Stevens.	Albert Stieg.	Henry C. Wehner.	Scattering.
1.....	1,132	36	1,092	1,094	1,997	2,008	13	24	13	19	.....
2.....	2,164	74	2,212	2,163	762	840	33	55	35	24	.....
3.....	1,416	135	1,386	1,354	769	1,202	21	33	24	22	2
4.....	1,060	51	1,032	1,012	920	1,242	24	33	21	23	1
5.....	1,158	60	1,111	1,049	758	1,225	26	25	22	23	.....
6.....	1,648	118	1,597	1,588	743	895	44	59	41	39	.....
7.....	1,141	111	1,117	1,124	794	764	41	60	42	37	.....
8.....	1,781	128	1,786	1,716	973	1,020	79	119	72	79	.....
9.....	1,668	121	1,623	1,630	1,022	999	74	89	71	73	.....
10.....	618	60	592	545	2,207	2,181	35	52	36	41	.....
11.....	723	34	649	639	2,030	2,028	30	33	23	24	.....
12.....	965	61	913	889	1,737	1,711	38	54	45	50	.....
13.....	2,361	114	2,165	2,495	960	635	50	71	53	48	.....
14.....	2,174	82	1,728	1,824	1,826	1,281	41	44	48	26	1
15.....	1,809	88	1,427	1,544	1,496	1,103	74	63	74	59	.....
16	1,296	80	1,199	1,197	1,694	1,584	58	60	59	53	.....
17.....	1,962	81	1,966	1,889	1,261	1,285	44	54	37	41	3
18.....	1,469	121	1,810	1,488	1,017	1,045	88	95	78	88	.....
19.....	2,087	157	2,190	2,075	917	943	103	93	95	100	.....
20.....	1,355	57	1,262	1,224	2,367	2,358	23	51	25	27	.....
21.....	921	68	924	859	2,442	2,436	31	38	28	34	2
22	1,334	98	1,328	1,272	1,663	1,698	86	88	80	95	4
23.....	1,239	80	1,226	1,187	1,781	1,783	61	74	52	60	.....
24.....	1,245	59	1,215	1,179	2,354	2,361	41	39	30	32	.....
25.....	1,195	60	1,122	1,113	1,574	1,622	23	22	14	17	.....
Total...	35,921	2,134	34,672	34,149	36,064	36,249	1,181	1,438	1,118	1,134	13

*Elected.

Vote for School Committee, December 21, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Ward.	Three Years.								
	Edward I. Aldrich.*	George W. Anderson.*	Martha Moore Avery.	Charles L. Burrill.*	Samuel H. Calderwood.*	Samuel E. Courtney.*	Archibald T. Davison.*	Frederick C. Dowd.	William J. Gallivan.*
1	2,268	1,193	164	2,312	2,216	2,265	2,215	1,561	1,209
2	874	2,147	231	837	812	811	778	640	2,191
3	784	1,596	211	796	802	791	776	525	1,611
4	996	1,145	189	976	959	972	944	707	1,189
5	793	1,295	173	773	759	764	738	533	1,343
6	755	1,790	245	753	720	746	700	679	1,812
7	719	1,188	253	719	703	698	688	556	1,231
8	1,031	1,881	347	1,012	979	988	939	837	1,931
9	1,038	1,660	396	1,031	980	1,001	983	785	1,687
10	2,397	703	217	2,405	2,284	2,334	2,228	1,584	687
11	2,144	848	128	2,302	2,079	2,277	1,984	1,151	775
12	1,924	1,023	204	1,957	1,821	1,918	1,758	1,240	1,059
13	290	2,248	516	308	293	313	309	341	2,845
14	1,471	1,903	364	1,468	1,430	1,404	1,447	819	2,287
15	1,138	1,679	412	1,153	1,113	1,127	1,121	729	1,920
16	1,712	1,326	224	1,718	1,672	1,689	1,664	1,137	1,389
17	1,233	2,051	324	1,252	1,203	1,254	1,175	972	2,113
18	1,126	1,509	351	1,123	1,105	1,125	1,056	946	1,575
19	962	2,308	389	980	961	975	932	843	2,314
20	2,636	1,424	210	2,682	2,576	2,621	2,559	1,543	1,447
21	2,761	1,098	183	2,501	2,710	2,756	2,618	1,586	1,063
22	1,795	1,485	325	1,791	1,791	1,755	1,702	1,214	1,454
23	1,993	1,338	243	2,021	1,943	1,995	1,906	1,236	1,314
24	2,625	1,342	229	2,622	2,575	2,606	2,541	1,617	1,358
25	1,712	1,213	152	1,681	1,647	1,659	1,566	1,045	1,261
Totals	37,177	37,393	6,680	37,173	36,133	36,844	35,327	24,826	39,065

* Elected.

Vote for School Committee, December 21, 1897.

As Reported by the Board of Election Commissioners.

Ward.	Three Years.									
	Mary M. Kehew.	Fred J. Kneeland.	Gustav Liebman.	Ignatius S. McDonough.	William F. Merritt.	J. Carlton Nichols.	William T. Setgwick.	Thomas F. Strange.*	Albert Walkley.	Scattering.
1	958	1,111	1,568	1,095	1,070	2,118	979	1,166	1,091	.....
2	366	2,139	1,084	2,088	2,035	726	318	2,093	2,025	.....
3	454	1,506	915	1,535	1,504	731	472	1,546	1,490	.....
4	493	1,092	825	1,107	1,059	913	492	1,130	1,065	1
5	389	1,221	785	1,233	1,218	809	405	1,260	1,209	1
6	289	1,667	986	1,672	1,346	662	272	1,667	1,553	.....
7	442	1,159	746	1,149	1,039	631	324	1,171	1,076	.....
8	408	1,785	1,071	1,789	1,756	884	441	1,797	1,735	1
9	493	1,631	1,024	1,589	1,535	924	452	1,598	1,538	.....
10	1,203	574	1,461	555	565	2,123	1,236	625	591	.....
11	1,592	598	1,321	575	587	1,890	1,587	654	681	.....
12	936	948	1,338	946	930	1,748	1,057	987	939	.....
13	139	2,209	804	2,230	2,106	280	123	2,240	2,078	.....
14	914	1,881	1,195	1,868	1,818	1,433	885	1,895	1,801	.....
15	709	1,621	1,018	1,650	1,576	1,105	698	1,657	1,522	.....
16	891	1,250	1,201	1,255	1,219	1,548	873	1,276	1,167	.....
17	633	2,006	1,411	2,019	1,915	1,108	614	2,077	1,910	.....
18	581	1,463	943	1,575	1,408	1,029	553	1,481	1,417	.....
19	477	2,192	1,166	2,213	2,095	854	506	2,199	2,073	1
20	1,561	1,298	1,672	1,283	1,388	2,487	1,587	1,397	1,274	.....
21	1,715	926	1,523	921	937	2,525	1,673	987	955	.....
22	992	1,314	1,404	1,291	1,269	1,595	1,015	1,340	1,287	.....
23	1,061	1,258	1,385	1,226	1,201	1,854	1,110	1,271	1,203	.....
24	1,416	1,262	1,603	1,246	1,283	2,434	1,400	1,285	1,204	.....
25	885	1,136	1,174	1,135	1,109	1,493	936	1,187	1,534	1
T't'ls	19,997	35,247	29,623	35,245	33,968	33,904	20,008	35,986	34,418	5

*Elected.

Women Registered and Voting for School Committee.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

Ward.	1886.		1887.		1888.		1889.		1890.		1891.		Ward.
	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	
1	76	72	49	44	1,123	1,076	694	653	587	557	451	427	1
2	20	17	18	15	623	607	221	195	130	123	105	97	2
3	30	24	10	7	973	945	422	407	331	307	230	218	3
4	42	37	23	20	849	826	450	431	335	315	270	258	4
5	45	39	11	11	670	653	364	355	242	224	163	153	5
6	177	16	18	4	851	821	44	37	24	21	21	17	6
7	4	2	4	2	275	268	32	28	25	20	14	12	7
8	6	4	5	4	391	380	108	104	72	65	57	49	8
9	45	33	27	23	591	565	366	351	254	243	210	191	9
10	30	28	30	25	297	279	160	142	89	84	83	75	10
11	85	72	93	84	866	824	562	565	425	394	326	282	11
12	14	9	9	5	456	442	135	121	75	71	58	40	12
13	6	6	4	4	695	680	101	80	48	43	30	30	13
14	30	27	36	34	1,464	1,420	811	782	632	595	497	435	14
15	24	22	24	24	1,006	985	405	387	301	286	265	242	15
16	38	27	21	9	427	407	187	169	112	109	68	56	16
17	44	41	39	38	752	729	431	400	320	307	243	217	17
18	83	76	72	65	860	815	550	519	404	375	270	247	18
19	17	16	14	12	711	689	374	363	252	236	187	164	19
20	46	35	34	29	1,207	1,159	699	666	521	491	402	371	20
21	114	94	101	90	1,500	1,427	1,148	1,096	904	850	634	568	21
22	13	8	8	7	516	491	255	258	252	236	141	125	22
23	69	69	74	70	1,056	1,009	665	627	500	461	383	358	23
24	89	67	79	68	1,721	1,634	1,129	1,057	834	783	707	625	24
25	46	37	34	31	372	359	276	258	256	243	193	171	25
Total	1,193	878	837	725	20,252	19,490	10,589	10,051	7,925	7,439	6,008	5,428	Total

In 1880, women registered, 772; voted, 688. In 1881, women registered, 748; voted, 640. In 1882, women registered, 567; voted, 498. In 1883, women registered, 701; voted, 650. In 1884, women registered, 1,119; voted, 1,026. In 1885, women registered, 2,238; voted, 2,062.

Women Registered and Voting for School Committee.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

WARD.	1892.		1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		WARD.
	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	Registered.	Voting.	
1	785	761	738	599	784	619	848	667	694	406	627	392	1
2	186	180	177	157	186	151	219	183	187	130	151	98	2
3	381	367	387	341	375	300	389	299	318	180	281	159	3
4	385	368	393	341	392	317	398	307	367	231	322	204	4
5	288	277	298	263	335	233	336	239	285	157	226	121	5
6	27	20	37	35	35	29	77	66	92	38	77	32	6
7	12	12	21	21	30	27	38	30	173	102	138	75	7
8	80	75	93	82	89	66	81	71	177	113	123	72	8
9	372	347	341	295	363	266	391	262	271	159	221	133	9
10	127	118	124	104	140	110	165	113	593	300	466	276	10
11	609	569	614	479	649	451	733	479	453	249	403	220	11
12	94	90	74	62	80	65	104	80	563	349	494	299	12
13	46	45	45	38	61	46	70	50	75	50	118	99	13
14	761	732	875	761	904	743	983	798	629	433	593	406	14
15	420	408	462	400	446	341	466	370	515	361	477	342	15
16	94	86	101	86	117	94	140	95	472	290	411	237	16
17	446	423	456	395	488	381	506	363	332	209	295	174	17
18	514	475	508	446	523	395	583	438	308	197	263	167	18
19	333	316	357	325	400	325	366	283	265	164	222	139	19
20	658	636	689	612	759	617	743	556	732	464	691	425	20
21	988	928	1,048	926	1,148	919	1,239	902	899	541	862	486	21
22	255	244	254	211	297	234	315	235	419	296	332	245	22
23	694	664	693	612	786	642	959	730	482	340	452	272	23
24	1,038	986	1,135	992	1,311	1,058	1,484	1,116	651	428	650	406	24
25	399	383	376	332	393	304	440	317	388	230	367	239	25
Total	9,992	9,510	10,296	8,915	11,091	8,733	12,073	9,049	10,340	6,417	9,262	5,721	Total

Vote for License.

As Reported by the Registrars of Voters.

WARD.	1893.		1894.		1895.		1896.		1897.		WARD.
	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.	Yes.	No.	
1	1,075	1,412	1,411	1,649	1,892	1,641	1,523	1,356	1,727	1,380	1
2	940	832	1,191	843	1,578	872	1,746	931	2,059	839	2
3	948	728	1,168	811	1,380	934	1,223	878	1,333	849	3
4	861	608	1,098	717	1,137	825	1,190	802	1,148	811	4
5	994	580	1,179	658	1,344	790	1,244	720	1,330	681	5
6	674	432	808	547	930	442	1,729	779	1,806	735	6
7	586	290	637	381	705	321	1,363	731	1,175	696	7
8	818	535	954	518	1,141	544	1,915	923	1,961	771	8
9	754	460	858	527	967	578	1,605	995	1,694	911	9
10	654	317	668	391	646	402	1,548	997	1,820	972	10
11	1,977	837	2,110	936	2,450	1,004	1,832	713	2,103	766	11
12	780	388	752	393	807	482	1,603	1,067	1,754	933	12
13	1,095	664	1,363	722	1,498	795	1,679	1,017	1,802	921	13
14	1,726	1,208	2,058	1,515	2,483	1,674	1,694	1,232	1,870	1,246	14
15	1,126	804	1,376	1,012	1,577	1,079	1,520	1,094	1,583	1,035	15
16	909	520	934	602	1,180	609	1,419	1,249	1,593	1,211	16
17	1,188	732	1,183	746	1,313	864	1,825	1,150	1,922	1,136	17
18	1,100	628	1,205	762	1,400	902	1,482	1,115	1,602	996	18
19	1,302	910	1,432	1,039	1,659	1,092	1,859	947	2,242	931	19
20	1,981	1,278	2,341	1,540	2,715	1,669	1,447	1,757	1,884	1,753	20
21	2,035	1,337	2,384	1,531	2,798	1,784	1,670	1,278	2,010	1,327	21
22	1,576	673	1,842	873	2,195	1,002	1,831	1,123	2,054	1,073	22
23	1,952	1,453	2,442	1,757	2,771	2,001	1,611	1,189	1,866	1,262	23
24	2,055	2,138	2,771	2,425	3,540	3,058	1,350	1,817	1,688	1,879	24
25	1,039	792	1,275	853	1,542	1,002	1,503	1,001	1,693	1,063	25
Total	30,145	20,556	35,440	23,748	41,648	26,366	39,411	26,861	43,719	26,177	Total

The vote for license in 1889 was, Yes, 27,134; No, 17,875. In 1890, Yes, 29,159; No, 13,910. In 1891, Yes, 25,648; No, 21,552.

Vote cast on the acceptance of an Act (Chap. 361, Acts of 1897), to consolidate the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council of the City of Boston, and to reorganize the City Government. — State Election, 1897.

Ward.	Yes.	No.
1	936	1,379
2	615	1,524
3	667	1,138
4	689	1,015
5	695	908
6	811	1,312
7	582	1,054
8	1,542	998
9	896	1,281
10	1,137	926
11	1,552	978
12	1,108	1,059
13	559	1,673
14	843	1,623
15	673	1,393
16	1,019	1,341
17	929	1,583
18	895	1,178
19	1,004	1,450
20	1,396	1,311
21	1,467	1,131
22	1,316	1,150
23	1,448	1,127
24	1,160	1,438
25	967	1,135
Totals	24,906	31,105

Registered voters, 94,934. Votes cast, 56,011.
Proportion of men registered who voted, 59 per cent.

Votes on Acts and Questions Submitted to the People.

Chapter 110, Acts of 1821. — "An Act to Establish the City of Boston." Adopted March 4, 1822. Yes, 2,797; no, 1,881.

Resolve of the Common Council of November 26, 1844. — Four propositions were submitted to the people December 9, 1844:

1. Whether the people were in favor of procuring a supply of water, at the expense of the city, from Long Pond in Natick and Framingham or from any of the sources adjacent thereto. Adopted. Yes, 6,260; no, 2,204.

2. Whether the people would instruct the City Council to apply to the Legislature for suitable legislation to carry the first proposition into effect. Adopted. Yes, 6,252; no, 2,207.

3. Whether the people were in favor of procuring a supply of water, at the expense of the city, from any other source which might be thereafter decided upon by the City Council. Defeated. Yes, 1,206; no, 7,081.

4. Whether the people would instruct the City Council to apply to the Legislature for suitable legislation to carry the third proposition into effect. Defeated. Yes, 1,194; no, 7,144.

Chapter 167, Acts of 1846. — "An Act for Supplying the City of Boston with Pure Water." Adopted April 13, 1846. Yes, 4,637; no, 348.

Chapter 448, Acts of 1854. — "An Act to Revise the Charter of the City of Boston." Adopted November 13, 1854. Yes, 9,166; no, 990.

Chapter 185, Acts of 1875. — "An Act for the Laying Out of Public Parks in or near the City of Boston." Adopted June 9, 1875. Yes, 3,706; no, 2,311.

Chapter 41, Resolves of 1889. — Proposed Article of Amendment to the Constitution "Forbidding the Manufacture and Sale of Intoxicating Liquors to be used as Beverage." Defeated April 22, 1889. Yes, 10,669; no, 31,699.

Chapter 473, Acts of 1893. — "An Act relating to the Election of Members of the Board of Aldermen." Adopted November 7, 1893. Yes, 26,955; no, 19,622.

Chapter 481, Acts of 1893. — "An Act to Provide for Rapid Transit in Boston and Vicinity." Defeated November 7, 1893. Yes, 24,012; no, 27,588.

Chapter 548, Acts of 1894. — "An Act to Incorporate the Boston Elevated Railway Company and to Promote Rapid Transit in the City of Boston and Vicinity." Adopted July 24, 1894. Yes, 15,542; no, 14,162.

Chapter 436, Acts of 1895. — "Is it Expedient that Municipal Suffrage be Granted to Women?" Defeated November 5, 1895. Yes, 22,401; no, 42,502.

Chapter 410, Acts of 1896. — "An Act Providing a Salary for the Members of the Common Council of the City of Boston." Adopted December 15, 1896. Yes, 35,152; no, 26,517.

Chapter 361, Acts of 1897. — "Act to Consolidate the Board of Aldermen and the Common Council and to reorganize the City Government of the City of Boston." Defeated November, 1897. Yes, 24,906; no, 31,105.

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